

THE AUDITORS'
EIGHTY-FIRST ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
OF THE
TOWN OF QUINCY;
TOGETHER WITH THE
ANNUAL REPORTS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, TRUSTEES OF
THE PUBLIC LIBRARY, AND TRUSTEES OF
THE WOODWARD FUND;
WITH
VITAL STATISTICS FURNISHED BY THE TOWN CLERK,
FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 1, 1873.

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of this generation, the voters of Massachusetts have recorded their decision upon the issues presented for their consideration, and the result is chronicled below, together with full details of the contest throughout the year. The clear, cool weather and the general interest that has been aroused in every part of the State combined to bring out the reserve vote in large numbers, and the result is what has been confidently predicted for weeks at the Republican headquarters. In Boston the gain in registration was fully represented in the vote cast, for, while the vote of 1877 aggregated 34,264 out of a registration of 44,605, the vote this year was 47,707, out of a registration of 54,134, showing a gain of nearly 4000 votes from the increased interest in the State's affairs, as well as a gain of about 9500 voters by additional registration. In the vote in this city was 23,214 for Butler, 17,702 for Talbot, and only 1800 for the other candidates, against 16,121 for Rice, and 16,335 for Gaston last year, it would appear that the additional registration was largely in Butler's interest, while the increase in the strength of the Republican vote came largely from an unusual interest in the result. It is a fact that a more quiet election has taken place here. The new precinct system proved a great success, and the co-operation of the police, under orders from the commissioners, made possible the presentation of the general result at an early hour. Within two hours from the close of the polls the general results in the city were known at City Hall, and a large crowd of citizens eagerly awaited the returns at that place. In Suffolk county the returns show that the Republicans have elected 25 Representatives to 23 elected by the Democrats. Last year the Republicans elected 33 members to the House to 17 chosen by the Democrats. The result of the election in the Suffolk Senatorial districts gives the Republicans 5 members of the Senate, and the Democrats 2, and the Greenback party 1, the year's delegation being 7 Republicans and 2 Democrats. The interest in the Congressional districts in which Boston is represented is one of the leading features of the election, and Messrs. Field and Morse were successful over Messrs. Dean and Brimmer, Field leading by a plurality of 516, and Morse having a plurality of 3806. The Congressional delegation elected consists of ten Republicans and one Democrat, a gain of one for the former party, the members elect being Messrs.apo, Harris, Field, Morse, Bowman, Loring, Russell, Claflin, Rice, Norcross and Robinson.

THE CITY.

In the appended tables the capitals affixed to the names of various candidates indicate their political complexion, and have significance as thus explained: R., regular Republican; D., regular Democrat; G., Greenback; P., Prohibition; Ind., Independent. In a few cases the names of regular nominees were on tickets other than those of their regular parties, and in such cases the fact is indicated by a combination of capitals.

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GOVERNOR.

THIRD DISTRICT.

FOURTH DISTRICT.

	Talbot, R.	Bunker, Ind. D.	Abbot, D.	Miner, P.	Scatterin, K.	Total.	Field, R.	Dean, D. and G.	Clapp, P.	Total.	Brimmer, R.	Morse, D.	Phillips, G.	Washburn, P.	Total.
Ward 1, Precinct 1...	61	352	11	1	425						64	343			407
Precinct 2...	302	115	24	2	443						219	189		2	410
Precinct 3...	296	104	16	5	421						246	167			413
Precinct 4...	258	93	12	1	364						209	151			360
Precinct 5...	112	190	19	1	322						95	212			307
Total.....	1029	854	82	10	1975						833	1062		2	1897
Ward 2, Precinct 1...	157	279	24	2	462						136	299		2	437
Precinct 2...	121	313	33	2	469						102	355		7	466
Precinct 3...	115	315	21	4	455						93	341		5	439
Precinct 4...	117	311	18	2	448						111	302		5	418
Total.....	513	1218	96	10	1834						442	1297		19	1758
Ward 3, Precinct 1...	200	165	25		390										
Precinct 2...	246	188	19		453										
Precinct 3...	265	197	19	2	483										
Precinct 4...	68	448	24	1	541										
Total.....	779	998	87	3	1867										
Ward 4, Precinct 1...	242	174	16	1	433										
Precinct 2...	186	238	21	2	447										
Precinct 3...	143	232	19	1	446										
Precinct 4...	210	168	8	6	392										
Total.....	781	863	64	10	1718										
Ward 5, Precinct 1...	293	138	16	2	449										
Precinct 2...	143	290	19	1	453										
Precinct 3...	176	245	17	3	441										
Precinct 4...	110	282	15	2	409										
Total.....	722	955	67	8	1752										
Ward 6, Precinct 1...	62	410	43		515						118	379		1	498
Precinct 2...	75	317	23		415						127	269		3	399
Precinct 3...	89	284	31		404						113	272		1	386
Precinct 4...	67	399	23	1	490						175	305			480
Total.....	293	1410	120	1	1824						533	1225		5	1763
Ward 7, Precinct 1...	25	359	16	1	401						51	324		5	380
Precinct 2...	9	454	12		475						49	384		7	440
Precinct 3...	199	274	24	2	499						185	278		7	470
Precinct 4...	68	371	5		444						83	309		6	398
Total.....	301	1458	57	3	1819						368	1295		25	1688
Ward 8, Precinct 1...	217	159	18	2	396						198	162			360
Precinct 2...	94	323	13		430						97	280		1	378
Precinct 3...	145	214	18		380						141	209		6	356
Precinct 4...	43	447	8		498						49	405			454
Total.....	502	1143	57	2	1704						485	1056		7	1548
Ward 9, Precinct 1...	341	66	25		431						299	128			427
Precinct 2...	285	112	20	1	418						248	154		4	406
Precinct 3...	225	173	8	3	409						229	161		2	392
Precinct 4...	145	224	23	1	393						158	218		1	377
Total.....	996	575	75	5	1651						934	661		7	1692
Ward 10, Precinct 1...	332	67	20		419						293	115		1	414
Precinct 2...	279	97	12	1	389						233	139		2	374
Precinct 3...	153	186	26		367						136	216		1	353
Precinct 4...	130	242	15	8	395										
Total.....	894	592	73	9	1570						667	470		4	1141
Ward 11, Precinct 1...	358	13	20		391						266	126			392
Precinct 2...	392	46	12	2	452						316	134			450
Precinct 3...	193	225	19	2	439						182	253			435
Precinct 4...	281	169	19	2	471						248	202			450
Precinct 5...	335	49	19	6	409						254	153			407
Total.....	1559	502	89	12	462						1266	868			2134
Ward 12, Precinct 1...	18	373	10		401						27	358		1	386
Precinct 2...	45	462	19	2	528						43	461		2	506
Precinct 3...	128	336	14	1	479						122	330		6	458
Precinct 4...	288	185	21	1	495						254	227			481
Total.....	479	1356	64	4	1903						446	1376		9	1831
Ward 13, Precinct 1...	17	389	10		416	61	356		417						
Precinct 2...	37	473	11		521	82	438		520						
Precinct 3...	60	405	7		472	105	367		472						
Precinct 4...	74	309	6	2	391	107	279		386						
Precinct 5...	103	340	5		448	152	289		441						
Total.....	291	1916	39	2	2248	507	1729		2236						

Recapitulation of Boston's Vote for Governor and Congressmen by Wards. Congress.

Wards.	Governor.					THIRD DISTRICT.					FOURTH DISTRICT.							
	Talbot, R.	Butler, Ind. D.	Abbott, D.	Miner, F.	Scattering.	Total.	Field, R.	Dean, D. and G.	Clapp, F.	Total.	Brimmer, R.	Morse, D.	Phillips, G.	Washburn, F.	Total.			
1....	1029	854	82	10	...	1975	...	...	...	...	833	1062	...	2	1897
2....	510	1218	96	10	...	1834	...	...	...	...	442	1297	...	19	1758
3....	770	998	87	3	...	1867	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4....	781	863	64	10	...	1718	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5....	722	955	67	8	...	1752	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6....	293	1410	120	1	...	1824	...	...	...	...	533	1225	...	5	1763
7....	301	1458	57	3	...	1819	...	...	...	...	368	1295	...	25	1688
8....	502	1143	57	2	...	1704	...	...	...	...	485	1056	...	7	1548
9....	996	575	75	5	...	1651	...	...	...	...	934	661	...	7	1602
10....	894	592	73	9	...	1568	...	...	...	...	667	470	...	4	1144
11....	1559	502	89	12	...	2162	...	...	...	...	1266	868	...	...	2134
12....	479	1356	64	4	...	1903	...	...	...	...	446	1376	...	9	1831
13....	291	1916	39	2	...	2248	507	1729	...	2236	...	...	...	...	...
14....	1140	1166	85	18	...	2409	1259	1153	15	2427	...	...	...	...	...
15....	714	1115	35	10	...	1874	847	1003	15	1865	...	...	...	...	...
16....	625	1106	46	4	...	1781	689	1029	6	1724	...	...	...	...	...
17....	1096	817	84	13	...	2010	1135	843	10	1988	...	...	...	...	...
18....	1529	433	90	13	2	2067	1552	506	14	2073	...	...	...	...	...
19....	649	1536	43	3	...	2231	785	1421	4	2210	...	...	...	...	...
20....	975	1410	46	5	...	2436	1118	1281	4	2403	...	...	...	...	...
21....	1375	603	63	6	...	2047	1429	611	5	2045	...	...	...	...	...
22....	353	888	42	4	...	1287	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23....	1179	847	40	7	...	2073	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24....	1636	857	93	3	...	2589	1650	879	...	2529	...	...	...	...	...
25....	482	554	62	2	...	1100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chelsea....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1403	1740	6	5	3154
Revere....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	94	222	...	...	316
Winthrop..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	72	77	...	...	149
Tot'l. 28,889						25,172	1699	167	247,929	10,971	10,455	73	21,499*	7543	11,349	6	63	18,981
Butler's plurality, 4283.						Field's plurality, 516.						Morse's plurality, 3806.						

*Total includes scattering, 2.

NOTE. This table is as complete as possible, returns from several precincts not having been received up to the hour of going to press.

SUFFOLK SENATORS.

First District.

	E. Hutchinson, R.	C. H. Chellis, Dem., G.	O. Lovell, P.	Scattering.	Total.
Ward 1—Precinct 1.....	72	344	1	6	423
Precinct 2.....		804	128		441
Precinct 3.....		310	106		424
Precinct 4.....		261	103		366
Precinct 5.....		117	194		313
Ward 2—Precinct 1.....		155	300		457
Precinct 2.....		124	337		463
Precinct 3.....		154	296		450
Precinct 4.....		121	306		431
Chelsea.....	2027	1092	34	555	555
Revere.....	136	179	1	555	555
Winthrop.....	97	50	2	555	555
Total.....	3884	3435	61	24	7404
Hutchinson's plurality, 449.					

Second District.

	E. L. Norton, R.	E. J. Trull, D.	H. A. Hough-ton, P.	Scattering.	Total.
Ward 3—Precinct 1.....	255	129			384
Precinct 2.....	290	154			444
Precinct 3.....	301	175			476
Precinct 4.....	239	299			538
Ward 4—Precinct 1.....	273	154			444
Precinct 2.....	223	218			407
Precinct 3.....	220	186			372
Precinct 4.....	285	82			372
Ward 5—Precinct 1.....	293	142			435
Precinct 2.....	263	189			453
Precinct 3.....	247	187			436
Precinct 4.....	184	221			406
Total.....	3074	2134	15		5223
Norton's plurality, 940.					

Third District.

	H. R. Crane, R.	M. Carney, D.	W. Taylor, G.	Scattering.	Total.
Ward 6—Precinct 1.....	47	220	224		491
Precinct 2.....	59	84	239		382
Precinct 3.....	62	105	234		401
Precinct 4.....	61	151	278		490
Ward 7—Precinct 1.....	28	196	169		395
Precinct 2.....	20	320	118		458
Precinct 3.....	146	111	179		440
Precinct 4.....	58	107	239		404
Ward 8—Precinct 1.....	214	62	97		375
Precinct 2.....	90	56	279		423
Precinct 3.....	153	29	130		312
Precinct 4.....	40	94	358		492
Total.....	978	1535	2544		6 5063
Taylor's plurality, 1009.					

Fourth District.

	J. White, R.	W. H. Whitmore, D.	J. D. Judge, G.	Scattering.	Total.
Ward 9—Precinct 1.....	332	82	9		430
Precinct 2.....	246	63	54		418
Precinct 3.....	262	90	55		407
Precinct 4.....	157	171	61		392
Ward 10—Precinct 1.....	340	65	9		414
Precinct 2.....	288	78	30		396
Precinct 3.....	131	189	20		342
Precinct 4.....	600	000	000		000
Ward 11—Precinct 1.....	350	37			387
Precinct 2.....	398	50			455
Precinct 3.....	194	168	72		436
Precinct 4.....	276	157	48		484
Ward 12—Precinct 1.....	329	70			399
Precinct 2.....	24	357	19		400
Precinct 3.....	34	461	17		514
Precinct 4.....	130	313	22		465
Total.....	275	193			468
Total.....	3816	2554	423		14 6807
White's plurality, 1362.					

Fifth District.

	Scattering	Total
Ward 13—Precinct 1.....	12 335	404
Precinct 2.....	42 477	519
Precinct 3.....	65 392	463
Precinct 4.....	99 285	376
Precinct 5.....	105 362	467
Ward 14—Precinct 1.....	159 320	486
Precinct 2.....	272 210	485
Precinct 3.....	236 254	495
Precinct 4.....	236 226	468
Precinct 5.....	243 184	427
Ward 15—Precinct 1.....	57 490	547
Precinct 2.....	340 172	517
Precinct 3.....	199 173	376
Precinct 4.....	209 189	398
Total.....	2287 4130	6419

Martin's plurality, 1843.

Sixth District.

	Scattering	Total
Ward 16—Precinct 1.....	182 214	400
Precinct 2.....	175 264	443
Precinct 3.....	242 180	422
Precinct 4.....	397 103	503
Precinct 5.....	300 183	484
Ward 17—Precinct 1.....	177 307	484
Precinct 2.....	221 284	505
Precinct 3.....	358 66	427
Precinct 4.....	462 80	542
Precinct 5.....	382 102	488
Precinct 6.....	311 220	571
Total.....	3230 2508	5755

Burrage's plurality, 722.

Seventh District.

	Scattering	Total
Ward 19—Precinct 1.....	112 414	532
Precinct 2.....	284 322	608
Precinct 3.....	290 285	575
Precinct 4.....	150 326	476
Ward 20—Precinct 1.....	319 86	415
Precinct 2.....	173 267	471
Precinct 3.....	162 243	401
Precinct 4.....	341 189	530
Precinct 5.....	319 96	415
Ward 21—Precinct 1.....	294 125	421
Precinct 2.....	282 84	367
Precinct 3.....	291 94	386
Precinct 4.....	176 262	438
Total.....	3562 2962	6531

Plurality, 600.

Eighth District.

	Scattering	Total
Ward 22—Precinct 1.....	115 314	430
Precinct 2.....	92 349	441
Precinct 3.....	166 248	414
Ward 23—Precinct 1.....	309 99	408
Precinct 2.....	241 146	387
Precinct 3.....	206 116	322
Precinct 4.....	232 273	507
Precinct 5.....	207 234	446
Ward 24—Precinct 1.....	373 176	549
Precinct 2.....	235 250	485
Precinct 3.....	287 176	463
Precinct 4.....	366 159	526
Precinct 5.....	332 167	499
Ward 25—Precinct 1.....	152 238	391
Precinct 2.....	116 202	318
Precinct 3.....	106 280	386
Total.....	3534 3427	6972

Plurality, 107.

SENATORS ELECTED.

Suffolk County.

First District—E. Hutchinson, R.
 Second District—E. L. Norton, R.
 Third District—W. Taylor, G.
 Fourth District—J. White, R.
 Fifth District—J. B. Martin, D. and G.
 Sixth District—A. A. Burrage, R.
 Seventh District—Albert Palmer, R.
 Eighth District—J. S. Ropes, R.
 Republicans, 6; Democrat-Greenbacker, 1;
 Greenbacker, 1.

VOTE FOR REPRESENTATIVES.

SUEFOLK COUNTY.

Ward 1.

	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	Total
G. T. Sampson, R.....	64	294	303	264	117	1032
R. Beeching, R.....	67	281	298	268	117	1031
H. L. Jones, D.....	292	133	97	88	168	774
J. Harrigan, D.....	290	63	60	18	105	536
A. McLaren, G.....	75	40	32	27	...	174
A. A. Stevens, G.....	41	43	32	25	...	141
H. Bradford, P.....	1	4	6	1	2	14
H. Mayo P.....	1	9	9	2	1	22

Ward 2.

W. O. Perkins, R.....	186	151	137	136	...	610
W. J. Burke, R. and D.....	391	380	386	300	...	1457
W. A. Foss, D.....	240	206	283	266	...	1085
Edwin F. Stevens, G.....	35	18	26	30	...	106
H. F. Russell, G.....	54	42	60	46	...	202
S. G. Laskey, P.....	2	2	...	...	...	4

Ward 3.

J. B. Norton, R.....	255	272	230	196	...	962
W. W. Davis, R.....	57	242	209	99	...	607
J. J. Crowley, D. & G.....	155	127	212	414	...	908
J. H. Brown, D.....	245	165	180	227	...	817
H. Mayers, G.....	...	68	72	74	...	184

Ward 4.

A. W. Stover, R.....	283	192	110	224	...	809
J. W. Davis, D. & G.....	147	251	295	160	...	853
G. Pratt, P.....	...	4	1	4	...	9

Ward 5.

C. R. Byram, R.....	156	100	142	78	...	476
J. H. Sherburne, R.....	338	253	238	160	...	985
N. Y. Brintnall, D.....	120	187	188	293	...	713
J. H. Dee, D. & G.....	245	321	265	294	...	1125
J. B. Brackett, P.....	2	2	1	1	...	6
L. M. Mills, P.....	2	1	1	1	...	5
Scattering.....	...	...	5	...	...	5

Ward 6.

C. Desmond, R.....	319	298	237	192	...	1046
J. L. Quigley, R.....	284	294	214	295	...	1087
J. A. Kidney, D.....	155	66	166	302	...	689
A. C. Daley, D.....	186	87	155	175	...	603
A. Phillips, G.....	11	19	14	...	...	44

Ward 7.

R. Roach, R. & G.....	210	103	308	185	...	797
P. Cannon, R.....	66	130	226	309	...	631
E. O'Donnell, D. & G.....	186	233	149	116	...	684
J. N. Henry, D. & G.....	187	269	154	145	...	755
J. P. J. Ward, L. D.....	125	61	...	139	...	325
Scattering.....	2	...	...	...	...	2

Ward 8.

J. E. Parker, R.....	203	92	150	000	...	445
J. L. Locke, R.....	258	137	179	152	...	746
O'Connor, D. & G.....	109	249	111	323	...	792
P. F. McGaragle, D.....	97	161	104	180	...	542
D. Breslin, D. & G.....	61	161	88	197	...	507

Ward 9.

E. F. Thayer, R.....	312	261	244	154	...	971
W. Lowther, R. & G.....	314	296	263	124	...	1067
E. F. Leighton, D.....	89	114	108	182	...	493
C. J. Brooks, D. & G.....	106	149	147	237	...	639

Ward 10.

T. Russell, R.....	345	275	159	...	...	779
A. J. C. Sowden, R.....	326	269	157	...	...	752
D. S. Burnham, D. & G.....	86	110	210	...	...	406
I. Dunn, D., G. & P.....	51	112	174	...	...	337
J. W. Sawtelle, D.....	21	21	32	...	...	74
Scattering.....	6	...	...	...	...	6

Ward 11.

H. A. Hill, R.....	347	394	189	275	329	1534
C. J. Prescott, R.....	349	394	196	271	326	1536
D. Doherty, D.....	41	53	223	172	67	556
T. C. Amory, D.....	45	53	219	173	75	565

Ward 12.

F. Hayden, R.....	19	44	133	202	...	398
E. J. Jenkins, R.....	172	244	246	314	...	946
P. F. Murphy, D. & L.....	292	415	286	169	...	1162
J. D. Mulchinock, D.....	219	218	230	124	...	791
R. Dwyer, G.....	1	15	20	...	...	36
J. P. Noonan, G.....	19	8	16	...	...	43
Scattering.....	4	...	...	...	...	...

Ward 13.

F. W. Luchterhand, R.....	15	32	43	61	88	239
J. W. Newcomb, R.....	15	35	57	71	86	262
T. F. Fitz Gerald, D.....	104	92	145	100	98	539
J. T. Mahoney, D.....	106	103	109	82	137	537
D. F. Coleman, G.....	35	101	52	34	41	263
L. P. Eagan, G.....	67	115	70	36	41	329
J. Mullin, G.....	39	54	44	47	44	228
T. Owens, Ind.....	156	117	118	78	71	540
J. A. McGeough, Ind.....	180	143	125	81	135	664
J. B. Shea, Ind.....	69	113	114	84	114	494

Ward 14.

C. J. Noyes, R.....	212	327	286	276	264	1365
G. H. Bond, R.....	193	275	224	228	213	1133
J. R. Farrell, D. & G.....	284	187	223	205	165	1064
H. L. Bowker, D. & G.....	260	207	234	243	200	1144
C. Booth, P.....	5	3	5	3	5	20
F. A. Gilbert, P.....	7	11	...	...	...	18
Scattering.....	...	...	...	...	...	...

Ward 15.

A. Warren, R. and P.....	92	379	226	264	...	961
S. A. Stackpole, R. P.....	66	357	204	207	...	834
J. A. Nolan, D. and G.....	451	170	167	...	...	909
J. F. McMahon, D. & G.....	463	127	172	171	...	933

F. E. Phillips, R.	191	198	40	246	675
J. C. Louzeur, R.	161	172	45	200	578
T. H. O'Neil, D. & G.	141	158	347	134	880
T. H. Spillane, D. & I. D.	168	178	383	114	893
F. A. Mardeu, G.	114	115	116	94	449
P. W. Connor, G.	24	22	5	31	82
H. G. Newton, P.					
C. I. Mills, P.					

Ward 17.

Q. A. Brackett, R.	367	326	193	133	000	1119
Sweetser, R.	385	233	178			1063
S. Risteon, D.	122	194	230	294		900
Carnes, D.	99	168	236	277		839
G.						
G.						
A. Inman, P.						
E. J. Aldrich, P.						

Ward 18.

L. Coleman, R.	366	466	409	317		1558
H. D. Hyde, R.	353	464	408	315		1540
J. B. Babcock, D.	51	63	78	127		319
J. Miller, D.	44	58	75	126		303
W. P. Walsh, G.	16	14	30	127		187
E. Pallen, G.	16	15	29	130		190
T. C. Lawrence, P.		7				7
J. B. Berry, P.		10				7
Scattering.						20

Ward 19.

J. V. Spenceler, R.	105	317	306	000	000	866
J. J. Jaeger, R.	104	185	241	120		860
J. Joyce, D.	424	286	296	330		1346
E. E. Hines, D. & G.	411	361	294	311		1877
Scattering.		1	2			3

Ward 20.

P. F. Tucker, R.	135	173	154	368	240	1070
T. I. Rockwell, R.	109	204	161	370	201	1045
F. F. Moore, D.	297	230	235	87	143	1168
T. B. Graham, D.	292	235	235	123	203	892
F. Frohock, G.		22	6	23		51

Ward 21.

T. W. Fuller, R.	299	281	300	309	250	1439
W. W. Tufts, R.	292	290	295	304	243	1429
F. M. Marston, D. & G.	124	130	75	79	190	598
F. Duard, D. & G.	120	129	70	76	190	585
J. B. Brannan, P.						
J. M. Evans, P.						
Scattering.		3	11			16

Ward 22.

W. G. Thacher, R.	91	97	174			362
H. W. Garberry, D. & G.	335	336	247			920
Scattering.		1				1

Ward 23.

M. Bolles, R.	310	245	108	234	197	1183
H. A. Johnson, R.	310	245	206	237	288	1206
J. Kelleher, D.	66	124	98	249	197	734
M. L. Galvin, D. & G.	100	142	69	267	231	807
C. Stearns, G.		11	8	15	34	68
Scattering.			3	8		11

Ward 24.

J. Wiswall, R.	380	202	193	350	326	1451
E. B. Callender, R.	459	299	307	381	334	1750
G. H. Frost, D. & G.	97	214	185	142	149	787
H. Clay, D. & G.	162	253	234	173	179	1001

Ward 25.

J. Bennett, R.	216	175	178			561
J. H. Walsh, D. & G.	161	130	163			459
Livermore, P.	9	1				10

REPRESENTATIVES ELECTED.

Suffolk County.

First District—Richard Beeching, G. F. Sampson, Reps.
 Second District—William A. Foss, W. J. Burke, Dems.
 Third District—J. B. Norton, R.; J. J. Crowley, D.
 Fourth District—Joseph W. Davis, D.
 Fifth District—J. H. Dee, D.; J. H. Sherburn, R.
 Sixth District—James L. Quigley, Cornelius Desmond, Dems.
 Seventh District—J. N. Henry, Richard Roach, Dems.
 Eighth District—J. L. Locke, Dennis O'Connor, Dems.
 Ninth District—Edw. F. Thayer, Edw. Souther, Reps.
 Tenth District—Thos. Russell, A. J. C. Sowdon, Reps.
 Eleventh District—C. J. Prescott, H. A. Hill, Reps.
 Twelfth District—P. F. Murphy, E. J. Jenkins, Dems.
 Thirteenth District—Jas. A. McGeough, Thos. F. Owens, Dems.
 Fourteenth District—Charles J. Noyes, R.; H. L. Bowker, D.
 Fifteenth District—Alonzo Warren, R.; J. F. McMaun, D.
 Sixteenth District—J. H. O'Neil, Thomas Spillane, Dems.
 Seventeenth District—J. Q. A. Brackett, John Sweetzer, Reps.
 Eighteenth District—Henry D. Hyde, Lewis Coleman, R.
 Nineteenth District—J. J. Joyce, F. E. Hines, D.
 Twentieth District—Payson E. Tucker, R.; J. B. Graham, D.
 Twenty-first District—A. W. Fuller, A. W. Tufts, Reps.

Twenty-second District—William H. Carberry, D.
 Twenty-third District—M. Bolles, H. A. Johnson, Reps.
 Twenty-fourth District—Joseph Wiswell, E. B. Callender, Reps.
 Twenty-fifth District—Joseph Bennett, R. Republicans, 24; Democrats, 23.

VOTE FOR COUNCILLOR.

Fourth District.

	Jonathan Lane, R.	Chas. McLean D. & G.	H. D. Cushing, P.	Scattering.
Ward 6.	262	1184		1396
Ward 7.	456	1322		1782
Ward 8.	527	1149		1678
Ward 9.	1048	578	3	1629
Ward 10.	505	277		782
Ward 11.	1543	582	8	2133
Ward 12.	345	976	2	1323
Ward 13.	316	1898		2184
Ward 14.	1213	1070	20	2303
Ward 15.	802	1050	20	1872
Ward 16.	328	1104	8	1740
Ward 17.	578	403	8	989
Ward 18.	1546	488	21	2056
Ward 19.	794	1426	6	2226
Ward 20.	967	1946	5	2313
Ward 21.	1441	593	5	2039
Total.	12,971	15,366	105	28,443
McLean's plurality.	2395			

The above is as full a report as reached the press headquarters up to press time, some precincts failing to return reports.

Precinct Officers Elected.

	Warden.	Clerk.
Ward 1.	Pre. 1—T. C. Kennedy...T. J. Garrigan, Jr. Pre. 2—C. W. Crosby...J. L. Fletcher. Pre. 3—James Frainell...C. F. Lovell. Pre. 4—Geo. E. Young...S. W. Tucker. Pre. 5—M. D. Collins...J. J. O'Donnell.	
Ward 2.	Pre. 1—M. F. Farrell...D. J. Sullivan. Pre. 2—Wm. H. Wood...N. H. McNeil. Pre. 3—C. F. Guliger...Wm. Kiley. Pre. 4—S. J. Sweeney...J. F. Donovan.	
Ward 3.	Pre. 1—Henry H. Edes...C. P. Sampson. Pre. 2—R. F. Murphy...J. W. Linnell. Pre. 3—M. J. Henny...W. R. S. Faunce. Pre. 4—Thomas Cullen...Thomas J. Kelly.	
Ward 4.	Pre. 1—L. H. Bizelew...H. W. Clarke. Pre. 2—E. L. Pillsbury...W. D. Furbush. Pre. 3—J. J. Mahoney...B. McNellis. Pre. 4—G. S. Poole...J. P. Loring.	
Ward 5.	Pre. 1—Jas. S. Murphy...S. A. David, Jr. Pre. 2—C. F. Johnson...George B. Thomas. Pre. 3—Geo. V. Leverett...Edw. E. Turner.	
Ward 6.	Pre. 1—Edw. F. Kelly...J. H. Kavanagh. Pre. 1—M. J. Haloran...J. E. Conn. Pre. 2—John Hartnett...Patrick Casey. Pre. 3—	
Ward 7.	Pre. 4—James Gallagher...C. J. Murphy. Pre. 1—Roger J. Kelly...F. J. O'Hare. Pre. 2—J. Beach...William Doherty. Pre. 3—E. F. Souther...Frank F. Chapin. Pre. 4—P. H. Mack...Robert Donnelly.	
Ward 8.	Pre. 1—John E. Parker...G. H. W. Bates. Pre. 2—A. R. Holden...J. P. Brophy. Pre. 3—Alex. B. Canney...F. G. Pearce. Pre. 4—J. A. McDonough...Robert J. Butler.	
Ward 9.	Pre. 1—H. W. Parkman...J. F. Andrew. Pre. 2—Frank Fuller...Wm. B. Turner. Pre. 3—Chas. W. Cline...J. T. Stil.	
Ward 10.	Pre. 4—Otis Clapp...Wm. E. Powell. Pre. 1—N. W. Ladd...C. G. Wood, Jr. Pre. 2—T. O. Morris...Chas. Steere. Pre. 3—M. J. Howan...K. J. O'Leary. Pre. 4—	
Ward 11.	Pre. 1—Ellis L. Maot...Thos. P. Beal. Pre. 2—Edwin Wright...T. T. Sawyer, Jr. Pre. 3—S. C. Cousins...Wm. Eckert. Pre. 4—S. W. Creech, Jr...A. G. Frost. Pre. 5—S. A. Stetson...J. W. Hayden.	
Ward 12.	Pre. 1—James Carney...D. A. McCarty. Pre. 2—B. J. O'Daley...Daniel Canty. Pre. 3—	
Ward 13.	Pre. 4—Chas. M. Leland...N. P. Ryder. Pre. 1— Pre. 2—J. M. Collins...J. F. Leary. Pre. 3—J. J. Riley...David Cronin. Pre. 4—	
Ward 14.	Pre. 5— Pre. 1—E. J. Roach...W. A. Kelley. Pre. 2—Robt. F. Meant...F. E. Walbridge. Pre. 3—C. Fearing...E. L. Penny. Pre. 4—F. Adams, Jr...H. S. Hobbs. Pre. 5—H. S. Treadwell...D. L. White.	
Ward 15.	Pre. 1—Henry Orchard...T. F. Golding. Pre. 2—Horace Smith...George Wheeler. Pre. 3—No choice...A. W. Wilson. Pre. 4—J. E. Tatt...N. T. Allen.	
Ward 16.	Pre. 1—G. H. Prince...G. H. Royal, Jr. Pre. 2—...David C. Sisson. Pre. 3—J. F. Desmond...J. N. Lynch. Pre. 4—J. F. Marston...Wm. M. Bell.	
Ward 17.	Pre. 1—C. W. Turner...J. C. Lene. Pre. 2—Geo. F. Perkins...H. J. Parker. Pre. 3—J. J. Lanigan...Wm. Sullivan. Pre. 4—Ed. F. Lally...Jere. Holland.	

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Ward 18.	Pre. 1—Asa H. Gatton.....George A. King.
	Pre. 2—John Albrece.....Fred Bradley.
	Pre. 3—Benj. E. Cole.....Geo. S. Forbush.
	Pre. 4—E. J. Hathorne.....Chas. R. Dane.
Ward 19.	Pre. 1—A. Himmel.....J. F. Cotter.
	Pre. 2—John Lamb.....Alex. Reid.
	Pre. 3—B. F. S. Bullard.....Jas. Cullivan.
	Pre. 4—J. A. Slattery.....Thos. O'Flynn.
Ward 20.	Pre. 1—Edw. J. Hoar.....J. P. O'Brien.
	Pre. 2—J. Murphy, Jr.....J. P. Flannery.
	Pre. 3—E. W. Dolan.....J. F. Dowd.
	Pre. 4—F. M. Briggs.....Edw. A. Kilham.
	Pre. 5—J. L. Taylor.....G. H. Carleton.
Ward 21.	Pre. 1—Thos. R. Matthews.....S. L. Treadwell.
	Pre. 2—Lewis W. Morse.....H. Thayer.
	Pre. 3—Geo. W. Reynolds.....W. C. Cook.
	Pre. 4—Chas. G. Davis.....Eben Alexander.
	Pre. 5—Rich'd E. Weekes.....M. Plympton.
Ward 22.	Pre. 1—C. L. Gifford.....P. Reagan.
	Pre. 2—Thomas F. Hunt.....J. S. Murphy.
	Pre. 3—Chas. D. Bickford.....L. H. Roach.
Ward 23.	Pre. 1—John Payson.....J. H. Dickerman.
	Pre. 2—Geo. R. Fowler.....Tim. Smith.
	Pre. 3—Chas. R. Reynolds.....H. C. Kimball.
	Pre. 4—Wm. R. Elliott.....J. D. O'Brien.
	Pre. 5—J. H. Cronin.....Wm. H. Cate.
Ward 24.	Pre. 1—John Pierce.....Geo. W. Conant.
	Pre. 2—S. W. Hayden.....John Means.
	Pre. 3—Henry Pierce.....Isaac H. Eddy.
	Pre. 4—John Dorr.....J. A. Estabrook.
	Pre. 5—R. Hutchinson.....George A. Fisher.
Ward 25.	Pre. 1—Jas. L. Hayden.....J. E. Bristow.
	Pre. 2—James H. Rice.....James Ready.
	Pre. 3—John Brennan.....Edward Ready.

Register of Probate.

For this office there was only one candidate, Mr. Elijah George, the present incumbent, and he was, of course, unanimously elected.

VOTE OF SOMERVILLE.

The election in this city, as usual, passed off very quietly, but it was the verdict of all the old voters that never while Somerville has been a city has there been so much interest shown at the polls at any State election, or so large a vote thrown. The several ward rooms were thronged from the opening of the polls at 7:30 A. M. until the result was announced at night with eager spectators and interested persons, and there was considerable good feeling manifested at the voting places as the names of winning candidates were read off. Next to the vote for Governor the interest centred in the contest for member of Congress. Mr. Clark of Lynn fought against heavy odds in this city, which is the home of Bowman, his opponent, and a Republican city, and he made a fair showing. For member of the Legislature there was a misprint in the ballot cast in Ward 2, the Democratic nominee, James Long. There were 446 votes cast for him printed "Fifth District," and 17 having on them "Sixth District." The latter were thrown out by the Warden, and the election pronounced in favor of Enos T. Luce, the Republican candidate, who had 451 regular votes. Mr. Long will contest, it is understood, for the seat at the opening of the Legislative session, claiming that the irregularity was due to an error in printing, and the votes were intended for him. The following is the official returns of the election in this city:

FOR GOVERNOR.					
Wards.....	1.	2.	3.	4.	Total.
Talbot, R.....	536	404	339	328	1607
Butler, I.....	352	439	169	177	1137
Abbott, D.....	13	23	23	13	77
Miner, P.....	2	4	1	2	9

FOR COUNCILLOR.					
George P. Carter, R.....	569	502	364	341	1776
Charles J. McIntire, D.....	309	415	167	156	1047

FOR REPRESENTATIVE TO CONGRESS.					
Selwyn Z. Bowman, R.....	631	543	417	377	1968
Nathan Clark, D. and G.....	265	367	114	142	888
N. P. Banks, I.....	4	4	1	3	12

FOR STATE SENATOR.					
Benjamin F. Hayes, R.....	594	508	359	343	1794
John Wilson, D.....	318	392	171	172	1053

FOR REPRESENTATIVES TO LEGISLATURE.					
*Richard E. Nickerson, R.....	588	.....	.....	.....	588
Edw. A. Curtis, D. and G.....	312	.....	.....	.....	312
*Enos T. Luce, R.....	451	.....	.....	.....	451
James Long, D. and G.....	446	.....	.....	.....	446
*Jacob Glines, R.....	405	351	.....	.....	756
John R. Poor, D. and G.....	130	163	.....	.....	298

*The persons whose names are preceded with a star are elected Representatives.

THE VOTE OF CAMBRIDGE.

FOR GOVERNOR.					
Wards.....	1.	2.	3.	4.	Total.
Thomas Talbot, R.....	832	1039	493	975	4217
Benj. F. Butler, D. & G.....	333	726	763	582	2673
Josiah G. Abbott, D.....	59	55	22	60	195
Alonzo A. Miner, P.....	0	5	6	3	14

William Bradford, * R.....	743	1006	502	902	384	3537
Isaac Chaffin, * D.....	674	809	746	713	340	3032

FOR COUNCILLOR.

George P. Carter, R.....	808	962	448	868	410	3496
C. J. McIntire, D. & G.....	400	818	787	703	308	3016

FOR SENATOR.

Asa P. Morse, R.....	804	1048	488	993	352	3685
Edwin A. Alger, D. & G.....	410	765	771	623	377	2946

FOR REPRESENTATIVES.

Edwin B. Hale, * R.....	763	.....	.....	374	1137
George W. Park, R.....	642	.....	.....	862	1004
Levi L. Cushing, * D. & G.....	533	.....	.....	379	912
Lucius R. Page, * R.....	1046	.....	.....	986	2032
A. Carter Webber, R.....	1058	.....	.....	975	2033
James H. Sparrow, R.....	884	.....	.....	801	1775
E. E. Spencer, D. & G.....	680	.....	.....	606	1286
Emmons Raymond, D.....	563	.....	.....	393	956
S. H. Sanborn, D.....	459	.....	.....	586	1015
George H. Howard, R.....	645	.....	.....	545	1190
J. J. Kelley, D. & G.....	571	.....	.....	671	1242
Lucien Carr, D.....	178	.....	.....	148	326
John S. Winkley, G.....	280	.....	.....	168	448
Michael Mallon, G.....	351	.....	.....	235	586

FOR REGISTER OF PROBATE.

Joseph H. Tyler, * R.....	838	1049	373	988	425	3673
William V. Thompson, D. and G.....	377	772	879	647	293	2973

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

J. Henry Read, * R.....	814	1038	483	964	416	3715
Thos. H. Hill, D. and G.....	144	419	568	409	148	1688
Hosea L. Day, R.....	257	356	202	214	1196	.....

*Present incumbent.

THE VOTE OF CHELSEA.

The election in Chelsea passed off very quietly and without a ripple of excitement, although the polls all day were besieged by an eager throng. The polls opened promptly at 7 o'clock, and at that hour there was a very large number at all the ward rooms ready to vote. The voting was very brisk up to 9 o'clock, at which time a majority of the votes had been cast. The balance of the day brought out comparatively few of the voters. There were ten different tickets in the field, the vote distributors having their hands full of business. The total vote was very large, and somewhat exceeded the most sanguine expectations. As it was anticipated, there was a good vote thrown for Mr. Talbot. Mr. Morse's friends and supporters were very active. On Monday evening a circular from the Morse faction was freely distributed, the purport of which was that the very men who supported Mr. Brimmer were the cause of Mr. Frost's defeat two years ago, and this, no doubt, made some voters, and, for the first time in twenty years, a Democratic Congressman has been elected in the Fourth District by a majority over his opponent. Eben Hutchinson, Esq., the Republican candidate for the State Senate, carried every ward, beating his opponent in Chelsea nearly two to one. The three Republican candidates for the House of Representatives were elected by a handsome majority.

FOR GOVERNOR.

Wards.....	Talbot.	Butler.	Abbott.	Miner.
1.....	410	307	24	4
2.....	447	364	23	7
3.....	429	309	13	5
4.....	603	235	20	7
Total.....	1895	1215	80	23

FOR CONGRESSMAN—FOURTH DISTRICT.

Wards.....	Brimmer.	Morse.	Washb'n.	Phillips.
1.....	293	418	3	1
2.....	346	479	1	2
3.....	306	439	1	2
4.....	458	404	—	1
Total.....	1403	1740	5	6

FOR COUNCILLOR—THIRD DISTRICT.

Wards.....	Carter.	McIntire.	Wright.	Scat.
1.....	419	325	2	1
2.....	460	258	10	2
3.....	444	304	6	6
4.....	617	246	2	—
Total.....	1940	1133	24	3

FOR SENATOR—FIRST SUFFOLK DISTRICT.

Wards.....	Hutchinson.	Chellis.	Lovell.	Scat.
1.....	422	394	9	2
2.....	492	329	9	—
3.....	474	261	8	10
4.....	639	198	8	6
Total.....	2027	1092	34	18

FOR REPRESENTATIVES—TWENTY-SIXTH SUFFOLK DISTRICT.

Wards.					
1	2	3	4	Total.	
Charles H. Pearson, R.....	408	467	436	625	1936
Elbridge O. Donnell, R.....	365	436	384	591	1776
John Rufus Trussell, R.....	419	450	423	591	1880
Frank S. Nickerson, D.....	315	303	258	198	1074
Orin P. Roberts, D.....	320	357	325	311	1353
Scattering.....	328	118	309	248	1203
	58	87	89	65	299

Talbot's Plurality Over 1200.

The election passed off very quietly, and a very heavy vote was cast, about 300 less than the number registered. It will be noticed by the table below that Butler ran nearly 100 behind Bradford. Both sides worked hard all day, and brought out all the voters that could be found. The following is the vote by wards:

FOR GOVERNOR.

Wards.....	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total.
Talbot.....	218	290	301	298	194	310	276	1887
Butler.....	104	132	128	97	137	56	22	676
Abbott.....	9	12	7	9	10	9	1	57
Miner.....	1	4	0	1	0	0	1	7

FOR CONGRESSMAN.

Wm. Claflin, R.....	210	279	295	293	188	306	275	1846
I. Bradford, D & G.....	117	148	131	109	152	66	27	750
G. W. Stacy, Pro.....	1	4	2	1	0	0	0	8

FOR SENATOR.

R. R. Bishop, R.....	221	294	297	292	191	306	271	1872
A. D. Hoyt, D.....	111	138	136	111	143	62	28	734
Jos. H. Stone, P.....	1	4	1	1	0	0	1	8

FOR REPRESENTATIVES.

Levi C. Wade, R.....	225	288	293	286	187	302	261	1842
C. E. Ranlett, R.....	217	296	297	285	195	305	277	1873
and P.....	1	61	8	52	133	63	4	822
D. T. Bunker, D.....	0	61	9	49	142	67	6	334
C. C. Barton, D.....	96	86	139	59	0	0	20	400
Samuel H. Leonard, G.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
C. P. Harris, G.....	2	8	3	1	0	0	9	23
Geo. L. Bean, P.....	74	78	127	61	4	2	23	369
H. C. Hayden, G.....	Representatives elected—Seventeenth Middlesex District, Levi C. Wade and Charles E. Ranlett, R.							

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FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

For Governor.

For Congressman.

TOWNS.

	1877.				1878.				1876.		1878.	
	Rico.	Gaston.	Pittman.	Phillips.	Talbot.	Butler.	Abbott.	Miner.	Crapo.	Day.	Crapo, R.	Ellis, D. G.
Acushnet.....	60	16	11	.....	110	28	20	.....	132	23	111	29
Barnstable.....	317	129	23	.....	372	201	33	.....	361	196	306	130
Brewster.....	54	4	4	.....	103	73	3	.....	140	19	103	76
Carver.....	38	61	5	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	87	117	.....	.....
Chatham.....	65	39	19	.....	123	86	.....	.....	161	51	.....	.....
Chilmark.....	16	32	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	36	38	.....	.....
Dartmouth.....	139	21	69	.....	257	65	1	25	279	31	260	59
Dennis.....	183	20	14	.....	209	106	1	.....	341	34	208	109
Duxbury.....	187	129	4	.....	194	77	48	1	251	197	188	125
Eastham.....	23	9	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	74	22	.....	.....
Edgartown.....	95	29	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	174	47	.....	.....
Fairhaven.....	217	102	50	.....	273	96	23	15	327	131	290	92
Fall River.....	1303	1412	542	136	2098	2710	57	1	2580	1652	2398	2500
Falmouth.....	196	35	28	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	349	67	.....	.....
Freetown.....	81	38	10	.....	122	15	16	2	148	38	121	31
Gay Head.....	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	.....	.....	.....
Gosnold.....	9	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	.....
Halifax.....	56	30	2	.....	71	26	13	1	87	43	71	39
Harwich.....	86	27	44	.....	125	173	3	5	239	50	127	172
Kingston.....	142	110	19	.....	215	95	22	.....	230	118	212	118
Lakeville.....	121	40	6	.....	102	47	11	.....	124	41	102	58
Marion.....	43	14	2	.....	86	64	14	1	105	43	98	69
Marshfield.....	99	75	33	.....	206	68	14	1	216	97	201	86
Masspee.....	14	.....	.....	.....	31	9	1	.....	37	1	31	9
Mattapoisett.....	86	8	27	.....	206	32	2	2	235	17	221	25
Middleboro.....	319	222	69	.....	563	222	105	.....	580	348	564	316
Nantucket.....	149	45	19	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	379	103	.....	.....
New Bedford.....	1265	1356	510	2	2124	1285	131	83	2454	1374	2283	1243
Orleans.....	68	15	23	.....	139	50	9	1	171	24	139	59
Pembroke.....	63	61	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	123	92	.....	.....
Plymouth.....	399	292	53	10	728	294	69	2	820	365	734	344
Plympton.....	53	80	13	.....	52	68	31	2	77	84	53	90
Provincetown.....	278	98	83	.....	375	245	11	13	550	84	348	238
Rochester.....	63	11	6	.....	100	40	1	1	140	24	101	41
Randwich.....	209	101	73	.....	345	172	41	.....	339	148	386	171
Semerset.....	127	42	21	1	263	117	4	.....	261	68	279	110
Swansey.....	89	37	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	166	45	.....	.....
Tisbury.....	73	31	26	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	158	53	.....	.....
Truro.....	56	3	14	.....	84	20	3	.....	148	8	.....	.....
Wareham.....	105	58	27	7	168	175	22	12	270	186	170	191
Wellfleet.....	77	25	18	.....	156	150	11	10	268	32	154	160
Westport.....	207	33	67	256	51	9	36	229	29	259	51
Yarmouth.....	151	31	28	221	43	9	1	295	49	227	9

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SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

For Governor.

For Congressman.

TOWNS.	1877.		1878.						1876.		1878.	
	Rice.	Gaston.	Pitman.	Phillips.	Talbot.	Butler.	Abbott.	Miner.	Harris.	Avery.	Harris, R.	Dean, G.
Abington.....	215	160	39	...	387	348	19	1	404	225	388	333
Attleboro.....	337	154	83	...	733	230	42	42	913	423	758	208
Berkeley.....	75	15	9	...	122	18	1	...	134	13	122	19
Braintree.....	260	326	57	3	413	335	41	3	377	413	...	...
Bridgewater.....	213	204	20	5	358	150	93	10	359	269	350	157
Brockton.....	663	368	102	1	1167	888	24	24	1346	629	...	97
Canton.....	266	285	45	...	370	292	25	2	344	371	357	287
Cohasset.....	93	45	18	...	201	63	18	10	215	125	191	90
Dighton.....	172	54	22	...	187	67	3	...	252	66	193	58
Easton.....	152	85	14	...	286	230	26	2	356	224	287	258
East Bridgewater..	160	173	34	...	319	141	56	2	348	257	329	83
Foxboro.....	182	76	48	...	348	49	31	5	378	129	339	65
Hanover.....	65	46	67	...	199	98	22	3	209	98	199	24
Hanson.....	50	42	34	...	105	101	7	2	106	70	100	10
Hingham.....	383	183	40	2	616	147	52	11	583	283	628	109
Holbrook.....	192	85	31	...	231	157	15	2	226	116	230	51
Hyde Park.....	326	164	67	6	548	332	21	18	635	342	565	112
Hull.....	16	26	1	...	34	21	1	...	31	25	34	21
Mansfield.....	100	44	63	...	201	112	12	5	259	136	289	23
Milton.....	244	86	22	...	368	126	12	...	309	187	...	...
Norfolk.....	51	30	14	...	76	37	5	...	74	55	76	11
Norton.....	76	28	8	...	203	72	15	21	191	87	...	...
Quincy.....	473	627	148	3	845	666	100	...	865	849	949	498
Randolph.....	198	450	74	36	311	517	22	3	325	524	308	376
Raynham.....	97	27	20	...	193	78	13	2	217	58	213	106
Rehoboth.....	98	55	20	...	...	...	...	...	234	76	...	...
Rockland.....	179	157	129	...	393	435	19	2	470	281	394	23
Scituate.....	148	100	26	...	222	110	24	6	298	211	211	129
Seekonk.....	64	40	2	...	...	...	...	...	190	88	...	...
Sharon.....	97	76	17	4	142	89	17	...	152	116	138	24
South Abington....	150	118	85	4	323	284	23	9	299	192	315	31
South Scituate....	80	74	55	...	220	89	24	6	257	124	...	...
Stoughton.....	265	282	102	27	476	470	29	20	523	455	464	60
Taunton.....	1289	776	241	56	1934	1423	26	16	2010	1120	2049	831
Walpole.....	112	138	37	...	232	121	49	4	218	167	224	134
West Bridgewater..	82	48	4	...	...	...	...	...	185	98	...	...
Weymouth.....	527	333	176	5	905	767	42	45	1073	712	806	71
Wrentham.....	116	45	8	...	219	45	35	4	250	113	224	61
Totals.....	8266	6025	2042	921	13,982	9108	864	279	15,550	9757	11,723	3612

FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

For Governor.

For Congressman.

TOWNS.	1877.		1878.						1876.		1878.	
	Rice.	Gaston.	Pitman.	Phillips.	Talbot.	Butler.	Abbott.	Miner.	Banks.	Frothingham.	Bowman, R.	Clark, D, G.
Arlington.....	310	201	19	1	404	254	24	...	372	348	414	254
Charlestown*.....	661	666	52	62	2282	2816	218	18	757	1087	2514	1900
Belmont.....	107	103	7	2	184	118	13	2	153	188	177	136
Burlington.....	47	40	...	...	60	55	5	...	48	60	64	57
Everett.....	254	137	61	2	387	202	22	6	273	266	396	207
Lexington.....	176	103	4	1	290	117	14	...	268	186	297	118
Lynn.....	1488	1334	567	332	2233	3379	134	19	2616	2420	2631	2955
Malden.....	608	335	142	20	967	772	41	5	909	627	1064	695
Mendford.....	490	236	47	...	769	400	34	30	747	486	841	348
Melrose.....	257	129	70	4	473	236	25	16	435	300	477	244
Nahant.....	30	50	24	...	60	60	15	5	51	66	70	62
Saugus.....	205	163	28	8	292	173	24	2	237	220	306	172
Somerville.....	1107	654	157	11	1667	1137	77	9	1665	1360	1908	888
Stoughton.....	385	283	138	4	503	514	27	18	570	368	540	470
Swampscott.....	86	82	36	...	228	115	5	3	254	125	240	103
Wakefield.....	331	204	49	2	540	315	19	2	542	349	557	300
Waltham.....	729	558	57	8	954	632	56	3	899	740	1041	584
Winchester.....	224	130	70	1	336	190	28	...	310	215	340	119
Woburn.....	539	691	97	7	835	928	46	1	696	818	889	297
Totals (19 towns)....	9181	7289	1715	543	13,436	12,400	827	169	13,325	12,317	15,713	10,530

*One precinct to hear from.

SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

For Governor.

For Congressman.

TOWNS.	1877.				1878.				1876.		1878.		Bornton, C.
	Rice.	Gaston.	Pitman.	Phillips.	Talbot.	Butler.	Abbott.	Minor.	Loring.	Thompson.	Loring, R.	Carlton, D.	
Essex Co.													
Amesbury.....	135	94	76	....	276	182	4	....	206	229	241	29	189
Beverly.....	469	213	114	....	602	683	19	9	692	554	614	47	644
Boxford.....	51	30	4	....	120	18	26	....	101	57	115	38	9
Bradford.....	110	120	13	8	210	164	34	....	184	228	183	96	121
Danvers.....	241	188	75	64	523	503	21	2	590	393	483	60	497
Essex.....	89	68	27	6	165	164	17	1	226	137	162	25	158
Georgetown.....	193	148	52	32	294	176	30	....	265	270	245	103	132
Gloucester.....	721	678	243	8	943	1424	117	2	1398	1281	833	292	1392
Groveland.....	125	133	50	12	194	15636	....	4	230	121	158	98	130
Hamilton.....	50	48	1	....	85	56	....	....	77	78	....	....	....
Haverhill.....	814	645	273	52	1314	1120	139	15	1162	1258	1014	481	899
Ipswich.....	243	205	67	2	398	236	17	....	398	273	342	51	234
Lynnfield.....	34	20	20	....	77	32	4	12	61	65	71	15	25
Manchester.....	87	58	40	1	101	150	17	21	183	128	89	32	163
Marblehead.....	409	621	69	213	515	848	116	12	608	934	402	216	851
Merrimac.....	168	89	72	....	232	173	10	5	271	181	214	18	176
Middleton.....	56	30	9	21	96	79	3	....	91	74	94	5	76
Newbury.....	70	32	49	....	140	98	5	2	176	76	151	9	78
Newburyport.....	670	607	400	1	1020	1168	68	....	1018	1163	....	....	....
North Andover.....	163	144	7	8	273	206	23	....	209	295	187	131	177
Peabody.....	297	251	112	16	621	525	35	18	562	529	543	104	525
Rockport.....	245	199	127	3	277	520	24	16	497	291	268	40	503
Rowley.....	100	80	41	....	140	86	7	....	144	129	....	....	....
Salem.....	1325	1269	177	7	2232	1528	105	13	2134	1851	1990	631	1266
Salisbury.....	164	129	139	1	362	248	20	11	402	248	343	18	265
Topsfield.....	76	40	5	11	137	89	15	1	151	96	129	18	86
Wenham.....	54	47	14	1	105	72	....	....	68	106	....	....	....
West Newbury.....	97	69	54	....	....	....	....	....	220	126	187	13	213
Totals (27 towns).	7465	6255	2321	467	11,452	10,674	910	144	12,319	11,171	9299	2499	8809

SEVENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

For Governor.

For Congressman.

TOWNS.	1877.				1878.				1876.		1878.		Stevens, G.
	Rice.	Gaston.	Pitman.	Phillips.	Talbot.	Butler.	Abbott.	Minor.	Butler.	Tarbox.	Russell, R.	Tarbox, D.	
Acton.....	162	115	52	15	199	107	26	13	169	177	25	201	48
Andover.....	396	157	27	20	567	219	9	....	388	259	104	586	13
Ashby.....	80	40	14	....	149	35	28	11	137	51	13	151	52
Ayer.....	91	129	33	2	171	144	62	3	155	200	23	154	103
Bedford.....	62	44	13	....	115	72	5	....	91	51	54	117	3
Berlin.....	72	19	18	12	106	66	1	4	164	25	19	119	....
Billerica.....	131	40	21	3	340	43	....	....	218	57	52	348	....
Bolton.....	75	45	19	1	113	62	4	6	110	63	41	123	2
Boxboro.....	13	30	11	1	23	16	10	....	31	40	2	26	6
Carlisle.....	53	27	3	....	64	35	6	....	77	35	10	67	....
Chelmsford.....	175	103	13	3	254	154	19	1	284	161	24	253	62
Concord.....	172	79	18	2	346	101	17	....	162	118	219	334	110
Dracut.....	68	53	14	....	185	72	16	....	122	77	14	....	....
Dunstable.....	38	62	1	....	45	48	8	....	26	70	13	....	....
Groton.....	136	42	19	....	227	62	9	5	229	74	59	....	....
Harvard.....	91	90	8	....	147	52	34	....	81	106	53	149	....
Hudson.....	155	145	75	96	309	326	18	1	346	208	19	326	239
Lancaster.....	137	53	14	1	219	65	9	2	149	70	101	219	....
Lawrence.....	1615	1685	284	10	1939	2656	104	3	2331	2606	187	2212	173
Lincoln.....	73	19	9	....	103	14	4	1	52	18	57	109	4
Littleton.....	84	39	30	....	126	47	8	3	86	37	64	....	....
Lowell.....	2408	2650	727	8	3773	4236	....	....	3890	2866	203	3985	1825
Marlboro.....	361	275	168	230	506	887	12	30	521	513	98	....	....
Maynard.....	105	73	21	....	144	130	11	....	103	143	49	118	....
Methuen.....	303	206	46	....	446	184	31	1	341	304	92	458	1
North Reading.....	75	40	3	....	104	35	14	....	123	64	25	104	....
Pepperell.....	166	109	12	....	223	139	44	3	208	141	31	233	10
Reading.....	253	101	82	1	426	200	23	10	347	199	118	422	....
Shirley.....	96	44	2	....	153	46	7	....	117	74	42	153	179
Stow.....	69	33	18	....	150	34	15	....	78	58	40	143	....
Sudbury.....	92	52	5	....	156	34	25	....	126	96	23	144	....
Tewksbury.....	92	30	19	....	164	98	6	....	161	71	7	169	....
Townsend.....	159	104	40	....	250	92	33	3	307	169	21	235	....
Tringboro.....	55	39	....	....	87	16	11	....	82	45	4	....	....
Westford.....	156	159	20	1	....	....	....	....	195	174	29	....	....
Wilmington.....	40	28	23	1	90	81	8	8	93	61	20	93	41
Total (35 towns)	8249	6965	1862	407	12389	10601	639	100	12,100	9379	1955	11751	2828

EIGHTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

For Governor.

For Congressman.

TOWNS.	1877.				1878.				1879.		1878.		Stacy
	Rice.	Gaston	Pittman	Phillips	Talbot	Butler	Abbott	Miner	Chaffin	Warren	Chaffin, R.	Bradley, D. G.	
Ashland.....	143	77	37	1	225	101	9	4	253	146	219	102	...
Brookline.....	537	221	14	...	765	304	31	2	628	486	771	307	...
Cambridge.....	2495	2258	336	136	3750	2673	215	18	3559	3585	3537	3082	...
Dedham.....	374	350	43	67	546	488	44	5	508	518	522	548	4
Dover.....	52	26	8	...	75	20	9	...	53	38	72	31	...
Frammingham.....	378	261	115	...	583	424	49	22	660	541	588	469	21
Franklin.....	134	89	82	...	316	128	25	3	294	183	316	144	3
Hopkinton.....	198	324	42	1	347	424	20	8	374	339	368	418	...
Medfield.....	92	41	14	...	179	37	17	...	157	75	181	49	...
Medway.....	208	105	55	...	370	273	19	19	424	292	364	294	18
Milford.....	539	520	95	58	773	658	34	47	838	742	753	693	33
Natick.....	366	503	146	82	629	904	49	29	684	800	631	930	...
Needham.....	259	114	54	4	461	251	11	5	437	231	...	...	...
Newton.....	1283	426	64	29	1887	676	57	7	1745	843	1846	750	8
Norwood.....	117	88	43	6	225	199	7	2	239	171	224	269	...
Sherborn.....	68	33	26	...	105	61	11	8	124	78	105	71	8
Southboro.....	65	30	42	...	133	94	5	5	197	84	184	99	5
Watertown.....	330	323	64	2	503	334	23	8	504	381	426	363	...
Wayland.....	182	108	37	25	151	191	5	3	239	146	153	200	...
Weston.....	121	33	6	...	202	26	3	...	176	68	201	31	...
Boston, Ward 22...	374	524	20	12	353	888	42	4	399	788	377	913	...
do. Ward 23...	870	590	45	9	1179	847	40	7	960	1058	1193	872	...
do. Ward 25...	304	412	56	24	482	554	62	2	435	668	485	574	...

Totals (20 towns and 3 wards). 9607 7791 1551 45614,18110,565 784 208 14,245 12,49713,58611,152 100

NINTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

For Governor.

For Congressman.

TOWNS.	1877.				1878.				1879.		1878.		Smith, P.
	Rice	Gaston	Pittman	Phillips	Talbot	Butler	Abbott	Miner	Rice	Verry	Rice, R.	Thayer, D. G.	
Auburn.....	47	26	12	...	90	45	7	7	109	52	95	49	5
Barre.....	207	146	3	...	285	68	53	...	308	201	290	123	...
Bellingham.....	51	28	10	...	118	53	10	...	122	87	119	60	...
Blackstone.....	139	240	1	6	302	270	52	...	267	333	230	264	...
Boylston.....	72	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	138	21	...	...	...
Brookfield.....	230	168	12	...	319	193	8	6	331	283	322	171	1
Charlton.....	134	63	11	...	251	66	79	2	241	118	250	84	2
Douglas.....	43	155	104	1	168	108	21	18	166	219	169	124	18
Dudley.....	100	114	...	1	230	142	22	...	142	178	231	163	...
Grafton.....	255	121	32	...	361	129	20	...	574	198	365	145	...
Hardwick.....	93	67	...	...	187	66	18	...	193	82	186	83	...
Holden.....	115	51	19	...	183	137	4	...	268	91	183	85	...
Hubbardston.....	133	77	9	...	164	70	24	1	198	93	163	92	...
Leicester.....	202	35	5	...	266	85	39	...	249	160	288	91	...
Mendon.....	95	60	12	...	...	...	...	...	129	74	...	...	...
Milbury.....	273	204	15	1	379	223	47	...	397	240	390	237	...
New Braintree.....	52	26	...	...	74	22	4	...	78	53	...	...	...
Northboro.....	111	60	29	19	...	...	...	...	199	75	...	...	...
Northbridge.....	217	169	7	8	317	146	25	8	345	247	322	164	7
North Brookfield...	291	178	57	19	402	302	18	1	383	282	440	282	...
Oakham.....	77	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	120	47	...	...	...
Oxford.....	125	151	66	...	...	...	...	...	329	234	...	...	...
Paxton.....	64	23	4	...	90	34	8	...	99	44	90	41	42
Princeton.....	84	36	12	...	142	15	8	2	158	42	141	7	...
Rutland.....	62	35	...	...	98	15	98	60	113	65	...	...	...
Shrewsbury.....	150	68	28	1	181	80	12	9	227	91	184	85	6
Southbridge.....	297	345	49	1	446	203	66	...	398	347	410	253	...
Spencer.....	335	178	23	6	523	244	8	3	519	208	522	245	3
Sturbridge.....	112	124	44	...	223	46	39	1	196	184	222	86	...
Sutton.....	142	191	98	...	217	171	32	11	192	231	223	196	11
Upton.....	181	96	32	...	...	...	...	...	200	129	...	...	...
Uxbridge.....	200	147	11	...	319	128	39	...	275	215	315	148	...
Warren.....	191	147	42	...	...	...	...	...	292	212	...	...	...
Webster.....	239	233	77	...	292	295	22	3	356	313	390	316	8
Westboro.....	541	179	84	2	447	253	21	25	504	279	452	261	25
West Boylston.....	107	37	64	7	...	...	...	...	303	89	...	...	...
West Brookfield...	135	139	43	...	290	163	6	6	188	163	290	164	...
Worcester.....	2618	8172	574	13	4352	5785	239	123	4724	4214	4441	3809	107

Totals..... 9281 7394 1319 84 13,890 10,248 107

ELEVENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

For Governor.

For Congressmen.

TOWNS.	1877.		1878.		1879.		1878.	
	Rice.	Gaston.	Philm.	Phillips.	Trubot.	Butler.	Abbott.	Minor.
Amherst.....	283	104	34	2	382	208	27	463
Ashfield.....	144	31	4	20	156	59	8	160
Ashburnham.....	108	77	52	185	96	18	1	250
Athol.....	230	178	43	1	419	407	15	557
Belcherfowa.....	217	87	11	...	...	...	...	349
Bernardston.....	78	44	10	...	129	30	29	131
Buckland.....	82	94	22	7	137	168	10	151
Charlemont.....	117	19	10	...	143	40	2	153
Chesterfield.....	54	22	11	...	...	...	...	115
Clinton.....	360	336	56	69	522	483	28	537
Coleraine.....	193	83	9	...	201	30	15	249
Conway.....	198	54	6	...	144	97	...	165
Cammington.....	75	13	34	...	...	...	...	161
Dana.....	39	31	28	...	51	7	6	167
Deerfield.....	184	122	43	...	237	251	19	56
Easthampton.....	256	101	8	41	883	188	10	334
Enfield.....	97	43	4	...	...	...	...	171
Erving.....	29	47	15	...	62	103	1	77
Fitchburg.....	523	855	326	2	1212	877	71	1324
Gardner.....	219	160	74	26	379	309	46	460
Gill.....	56	31	...	...	91	47	10	104
Goshen.....	42	3	...	...	...	...	...	68
Granby.....	37	7	9	...	...	...	...	123
Greenfield.....	265	502	22	2	353	297	36	344
Greenwich.....	84	38	5	...	...	...	...	94
Hadley.....	184	20	...	7	...	...	...	226
Hatfield.....	127	20	8	7	...	...	...	156
Hawley.....	57	7	2	...	65	4	3	96
Heath.....	59	20	...	...	74	11	9	83
Holyoke.....	543	518	60	203	639	899	30	759
Huntington.....	76	59	1	...	88	95	...	127
Leominster.....	455	168	103	...	788	203	32	812
Leverett.....	82	52	6	...	84	64	9	115
Leyden.....	31	35	14	...	54	21	11	65
Lunenburg.....	53	35	30	1	130	73	7	169
Middlefield.....	52	11	6	...	64	16	1	78
Monroe.....	17	9	...	...	15	17	...	24
Montague.....	136	115	...	2	235	230	23	267
New Salem.....	75	19	2	...	122	51	4	180
Northampton.....	487	198	63	214	687	685	44	975
Northfield.....	119	137	2	1	136	129	58	176
Orange.....	214	153	43	2	404	179	21	368
Pelham.....	41	17	7	...	...	...	...	68
Petersham.....	103	72	5	...	155	41	11	151
Phillipston.....	26	14	1	...	100	20	8	118
Plainfield.....	53	13	5	...	...	...	...	98
Prescott.....	23	16	6	...	...	...	...	50
Rowe.....	59	10	9	...	83	6	...	111
Royalston.....	193	26	4	...	188	49	10	219
Shelburne.....	167	39	34	1	243	74	3	242
Spatesburr.....	60	35	...	...	41	61	5	71
South Hadley.....	205	131	22	1	272	140	21	315
Southampton.....	77	23	26	1	...	...	...	175
Sterling.....	119	61	22	...	191	67	16	239
Sunderland.....	119	26	3	...	131	41	1	138
Templeton.....	121	57	11	...	304	106	31	344
Ware.....	218	167	50	7	299	247	33	312
Warwick.....	69	54	3	...	98	45	24	101
Wendell.....	18	44	4	...	35	46	7	48
Westhampton.....	51	6	1	...	73	1	6	77
Westminster.....	136	63	37	...	236	50	3	282
Whately.....	60	86	1	...	67	123	17	97
Williamsburg.....	80	59	61	57	...	...	...	225
Winchendon.....	244	90	29	...	469	176	26	457
Worthington.....	84	29	2	...	...	...	...	137
Totals.....	9160	5524	1593	676	...	...	...	15,779

ELEVENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

For Governor.

For Congressmen.

TOWNS.	1877.		1878.		1879.		1878.	
	Rice.	Gaston.	Philm.	Phillips.	Trubot.	Butler.	Abbott.	Minor.
Berkshire Co.								
Adams.....	645	380	22	31	285	257	23	1159
Alford.....	21	54	1	...	24	40	15	32
Agawam.....	79	92	4	...	125	131	17	151
Becket.....	71	64	1	...	94	74	...	110
Blandford.....	74	84	10	...	98	43	26	115
Brimfield.....	100	47	3	...	116	45	32	152
Chester.....	85	90	7	...	125	100	22	155
Cheshire.....	96	125	5	...	116	38	15	135
Chicopee.....	383	365	63	88	403	664	25	604
Clarksburg.....	41	8	...	...	36	41	...	87
Dalton.....	101	143	6	...	136	151	12	140
Egremont.....	86	107	10	1	104	42	43	103
Florida.....	30	12	...	...	44	13	4	70
Chapin.....								
Robinson.....								
Robinson, R.....								
Dunham, D.....								
Iathron, G.....								
Blackmer, P.....								
Adams.....	645	380	22	31	285	257	23	1159
Alford.....	21	54	1	...	24	40	15	32
Agawam.....	79	92	4	...	125	131	17	151
Becket.....	71	64	1	...	94	74	...	110
Blandford.....	74	84	10	...	98	43	26	115
Brimfield.....	100	47	3	...	116	45	32	152
Chester.....	85	90	7	...	125	100	22	155
Cheshire.....	96	125	5	...	116	38	15	135
Chicopee.....	383	365	63	88	403	664	25	604
Clarksburg.....	41	8	...	...	36	41	...	87
Dalton.....	101	143	6	...	136	151	12	140
Egremont.....	86	107	10	1	104	42	43	103
Florida.....	30	12	...	...	44	13	4	70
Chapin.....								
Robinson.....								
Robinson, R.....								
Dunham, D.....								
Iathron, G.....								
Blackmer, P.....								
Adams.....	645	380	22	31	285	257	23	1159
Alford.....	21	54	1	...	24	40	15	32
Agawam.....	79	92	4	...	125	131	17	151
Becket.....	71	64	1	...	94	74	...	110
Blandford.....	74	84	10	...	98	43	26	115
Brimfield.....	100	47	3	...	116	45	32	152
Chester.....	85	90	7	...	125	100	22	155
Cheshire.....	96	125	5	...	116	38	15	135
Chicopee.....	383	365	63	88	403	664	25	604
Clarksburg.....	41	8	...	...	36	41	...	87
Dalton.....	101	143	6	...	136	151	12	140
Egremont.....	86	107	10	1	104	42	43	103
Florida.....	30	12	...	...	44	13	4	70

Partial List of Successful Candidates.

Reports From Most of the States.

A Comparison of the Majorities of '76 and '78.

ALABAMA.

Dist.	1878.	1876.
1	T. H. Herndon, D.	John T. Jones, D. Plurality, 1811.
2	H. A. Herbert, D.	H. A. Herbert, D. Majority, 2041.
3	W. J. Sandford, D.	J. N. Williams, D. Maj., 10,193.
4	C. M. Shelley, D.	C. M. Shelley, D. Plur., 980.
5	T. Williams, D.	R. F. Ligon, D. Maj., 6286.
6	B. B. Lewis, D.	G. W. Hewitt, D. No opposition.
7	W. H. Forney, D.	W. H. Forney, D. No opposition.
8	W. M. Lowe, I.	W. W. Garth, D. Maj., 5619.

ARKANSAS.

1	P. Dunn, D.	L. C. Ganse, D. No opposition.
2	W. F. Slemmons, D.	W. F. Slemmons, D. Maj., 1407.
3	M. L. Rice, G.	J. E. Cravens, D. Plur., 161.
4	T. M. Gunter, D.	T. M. Gunter, D. Maj., 8188.

CONNECTICUT.

1	J. R. Hawley, R.	G. M. Landers, D. Maj., 148.
2	James Phelps, D., G.	James Phelps, D. Maj., 2455.
3	John T. Wait, R.	John T. Wait, R. Maj., 1573.
4	Fredk Miles, R.	Levi Warner, D. Maj., 1769.

DELAWARE.

At large	E. L. Martin, D.	Jas. Williams, D. Maj., large.
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FLORIDA.

1	R. H. M. Davidson, D.	R. H. M. Davidson, D. Maj., 540.
2	N. A. Hull, D.	H. Bisbee, Jr., R. Maj., 18.

GEORGIA.

1	J. C. Nicholls, D.	J. Hartridge, D. Maj., 540.
2	W. E. Smith, D.	W. E. Smith, D. Maj., 5612.
3	Phillip Cook, D.	P. Cook, D. Maj., 6404.
4	Henry Persons, I. D.	H. R. Harris, D. Maj., 8012.
5	N. J. Hammond, D.	M. A. Candler, D. Maj., 9363.
6	J. H. Blount, D.	J. H. Blount, D. Maj., 8418.
7	W. H. Felton, I. D.	W. H. Felton, D. Maj., 2463.
8	A. H. Stephens, D.	A. H. Stephens, D. Maj., 13,198.
9	J. A. Billups, D.	Hiram P. Bell, D. No opposition.

ILLINOIS.

1	William Alarich, R.	W. Aldrich, R. Maj., 2477.
2	George R. Davis, R.	C. H. Harrison, D. Maj., 642.
3	Hiram Barber, R.	L. Brentano, R. Maj., 287.
4	J. C. Sherwin, R.	W. Lathrop, R. Maj., 5092.
5	R. M. A. Hawk, R.	H. C. Burchard, R. Maj., 5193.
6	T. J. Henderson, R.	T. J. Henderson, R. Maj., 5739.
7	A. Campbell, G., R.	P. C. Hayes, R. Maj., 1536.
8	G. L. Fort, R.	G. L. Fort, R. Maj., 2800.
9	T. A. Boyd, R.	T. A. Boyd, R. Maj., 547.
10	B. F. Marsh, R.	B. F. Marsh, R. Maj., 756.
11	J. W. Singleton, D.	R. M. Knapp, D. Maj., 5327.
12	W. M. Springer, D.	W. M. Springer, D. Maj., 3656.
13	T. F. Tipton, R.	T. F. Tipton, R. Maj., 242.
14	J. G. Cannon, R.	J. G. Cannon, R.

16	Jno. M. Bailey, R.	T. J. Quinn, D. Maj., 900.
17	Walter A. Wood, R.	M. I. Townsend, R. Maj., 2241.
18	J. Hammond, R.	A. Williams, R. Maj., 2931.
19	A. B. James, R.	A. B. James, R. Maj., 8519.
20	John H. Starin, R.	J. H. Starin, R. Maj., 1053.
21	D. Wilbur, R.	Solomon Bundy, R. Maj., 1769.
22	Warner Miller, R.	G. A. Bagley, R. Maj., 2653.
23	C. D. Prescott, R.	W. J. Bacon, R. Maj., 710.
24	Jos. Mason, R.	W. H. Baker, R. Maj., 4847.
25	Frank Hiscock, R.	Frank Hiscock, R. Maj., 4591.
26	J. H. Camp, R.	J. H. Camp, R. Maj., 4155.
27	E. G. Lapham, R.	E. G. Lapham, R. Maj., 2874.
28	J. W. Dwight, R.	J. W. Dwight, R. Maj., 3177.
29	D. P. Richardson, R.	J. N. Hungerford, R. Maj., 3114.
30	J. Van Vorhis, R.	E. K. Hart, D. Maj., 659.
31	R. Crowley, R.	C. B. Benedict, D. Plur., 404.
31	R. V. Pierce, R.	D. N. Lockwood, D. Maj., 409.
33	H. Van Aernam, R.	G. W. Patterson, R. Maj., 6309.

PENNSYLVANIA.

1	H. H. Bingham, R.	C. Freeman, R. Maj., 3791.
2	C. O'Neill, R.	C. O'Neill, R. Maj., 3320.
3	S. J. Randall, D.	S. J. Randall, D. Maj., 2762.
4	W. D. Kelley, R., G.	W. D. Kelley, R. Maj., 6388.
5	A. C. Harmer, R.	A. C. Harmer, R. Maj., 3251.
6	W. Ward, R.	W. Ward, R. Maj., 5503.
7	W. Godschalk, R.	J. N. Evans, R. Maj., 1538.
8	H. Clymer, D.	H. Clymer, D. Maj., 9026.
10	R. K. Bachman, D.	S. A. Bridges, D. Maj., 7893.
12	H. B. Wright, D., G.	H. B. Wright, D. Maj., 1456.
13	J. W. Ryan, D.	J. B. Reilly, D. Maj., 81.
20	A. G. Curtin, D.	L. A. Mackey, D. Maj., 5036.
24	W. S. Shallenberger, R.	W. S. Shallenberger, R. Maj., 2503.

RHODE ISLAND.

1	N. W. Aldrich, R.	B. T. Eames, R. Maj., 3875.
2	L. W. Ballou, R.	L. W. Ballou, R. Maj., 708.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

1	J. S. Richardson, D.	J. H. Rainey, R. Maj. small.
2	M. P. O'Connor, D.	B. H. C. M. R. Very close.
3	D. W. Aiken, D.	D. W. Aiken, D. No opposition.
4	J. H. Evans, D.	J. H. Evans, D. No opposition.
5	G. D. Tillman, D.	R. Smalls, R. Maj., 800.

TENNESSEE.

1	R. L. Taylor, D.	J. H. Randolph, R. Maj., 1500.
2	L. C. Houk, R.	J. M. Thornburg, R. Maj., 4723.
3	G. M. Dibrell, D.	G. M. Dibrell, D. Maj., 4914.
4	Benton McMillan, D.	H. Y. Riddle, D. Maj., 6963.
5	J. M. Bright, D.	J. M. Bright, D. Maj., 3785.
6	J. F. House, D.	J. F. House, D. Maj., 6732.
7	W. C. Whitthorne, D.	W. C. Whitthorne, D. Maj., 8470.
8	J. D. C. Atkins, D.	J. D. C. Atkins, D. Maj., 5017.
9	C. B. Simonton, D.	W. P. Caldwell, D. Maj., 8290.
10	Casey Young, D.	Casey Young, D. Maj., 837.

TEXAS.

1	J. H. Reagan, D.	J. H. Reagan, D. Maj., 7281.
2	D. B. Culberson, D.	D. B. Culberson, D. Maj., 8196.
3	Olin Wellborn, D.	J. W. Throckmorton, D. Maj., 22,835.
4	R. Q. Mills, D.	R. Q. Mills, D. Maj., 11,892.
5	J. Hancock, D.	D. C. Giddings, D. Maj., 2049.
6	G. Schleicher, D.	G. Schleicher, D. Maj., 9240.
3	B. Barlow, G.	G. W. Hendee, R. Maj., 5607.

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15—H. B. Decins, D. J. R. Eden, D.
 16—W. A. J. Sparks, D. W. A. J. Sparks, D.
 17—W. R. Morrison, D. W. R. Morrison, D.
 18—J. R. Thomas, R. W. Hartzell, D.
 19—R. W. Towushend, D. R. W. Towushend, D.

KANSAS.

1—J. A. Anderson, R. W. A. Phillips, R.
 2—D. C. Haskell, R. D. C. Haskell, R.
 3—Thomas Ryad, R. Thomas Ryan, R.

KENTUCKY.

1—L. S. Trimble, D. A. R. Boone, D.
 2—J. A. McKenzie, D. J. A. McKenzie, D.
 3—J. W. Caldwell, D. J. W. Caldwell, D.
 4—J. Proctor Knott, D. J. P. Knott, D.
 5—A. S. Willis, D. A. S. Willis, D.
 6—J. G. Carrisle, D. J. G. Carrisle, D.
 7—J. C. S. Blackburn, D. J. C. S. Blackburn, D.
 8—P. B. Thompson, D. M. J. Durham, D.
 9—Thomas Turner, D. T. Turner, D.
 10—E. C. Phister, D. J. B. Clarke, D.

LOUISIANA.

1—R. L. Gibson, D. R. L. Gibson, D.
 2—E. J. Ellis, D. E. J. Ellis, D.
 3—J. H. Acklen, I. D. J. H. Acklen, D.
 4—J. B. Elam, D. J. B. Elam, D.
 5—J. S. Young, D. (short term.) Leonard, R. (dead.)
 J. F. King, D. (long term.)
 6—E. W. Robertson, D. E. W. Robertson, D.

MASSACHUSETTS.

1—W. W. Crapo, R. W. W. Crapo, R.
 2—B. W. Harris, R. B. W. Harris, R.
 3—W. A. Field, R. Benjamin Dean, D.
 4—Leopold Morse, D. Leopold Morse, D.
 5—S. Z. Bowman, R. N. P. Banks, R.
 6—G. B. Loring, R. George B. Loring, R.
 7—W. A. Russell, R. B. F. Butler, R. (?)
 8—William Claflin, R. William Claflin, R.
 9—W. W. Rice, R. William W. Rice, R.
 10—Amasa Norcross, R. Amasa Norcross, R.
 11—G. D. Robinson, R. G. D. Robinson, R.

MARYLAND.

1—D. M. Henry, D. D. M. Henry, D.
 2—J. F. C. Talbott, D. C. B. Roberts, D.
 3—W. Kimmel, D. W. Kimmel, D.
 4—B. M. McLane, D. T. Swann, D.
 5—E. J. Henkle, D. E. J. Henkle, D.
 6—N. D. Urner, R. W. Walsh, D.

MICHIGAN.

2—E. Willits, R. E. Willits, R.
 3—J. H. McGowan, B. J. H. McGowan, R.
 4—J. C. Burrows, R. E. W. Keightley, R.

MINNESOTA.

1—M. H. Dunnell, R. M. H. Dunnell, R.
 2—H. B. Strait, R. H. B. Strait, R.
 3—W. D. Washburn, R. J. R. Stewart, R.

MISSOURI.

1—M. L. Clardy, D. A. Ittner, R.
 2—Nathan Cole, R. N. Cole, R.
 3—R. G. Frost, D. L. S. Metcalfe, R.
 9—D. Rea, D. D. Rea, D.

MISSISSIPPI.

1—H. L. Muldrow, D. H. L. Muldrow, D.
 2—V. H. Manning, D. V. H. Manning, D.
 3—H. D. Money, D. H. D. Money, D.

VIRGINIA.

1—R. S. T. Beal, D. B. B. Douglass, D.
 2—J. Goode, Jr., D. J. Goode, Jr., D.
 3—J. E. Johnston, D. G. C. Walker, D.
 4—J. Jorgensen, R. J. Jorgensen, R.
 5—Geo. C. Cabell, D. G. C. Cabell, D.
 6—J. R. Tucker, D. J. R. Tucker, D.
 7—J. T. Harris, D. J. T. Harris, D.
 8—E. Hinton, D. E. Hinton, D.
 9—J. B. Richmond, D. A. L. Pridemore, D.

WISCONSIN.

1—C. G. Williams, R. C. G. Williams, R.
 2—L. B. Caswell, R. L. B. Caswell, Rep.
 3—G. C. Hazelton, R. G. C. Hazelton, R.
 4—P. V. Denster, D. W. P. Lynde, D.
 5—E. S. Bragg, D. E. S. Bragg, D.
 6—G. Bouck, D. G. Bouck, D.
 7—H. L. Humphrey, R. H. L. Humphrey, R.
 8—T. C. Pound, R. T. C. Pound, R.

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CONGRESSMEN ELECTED.

First District—*William W. Crapo of New Bedford.
 Second District—*Benjamin W. Harris of East Bridgewater.
 Third District—Walbridge A. Field of Boston.
 Fourth District—*Leopold Morse of Boston.
 Fifth District—Selwyn Z. Bowman of Somerville.
 Sixth District—*George B. Loring of Salem.
 Seventh District—William A. Russell of Lawrence.
 Eighth District—*William Claflin of Newton.
 Ninth District—*William W. Rice of Worcester.
 Tenth District—*Amasa Norcross of Fitchburg.
 Eleventh District—*George D. Robinson of Chicopee.

*Re-elected.

SENATORS ELECTED.

Essex County.

First District—Nathan M. Hawkes, Lynn, R. Second District—Stephen P. Blaney, Peabody, R. Third District—Jonas H. French, Gloucester, D. and G. Fourth District—George W. Cate, Amesbury, R. Fifth District—Stephen Osgood, Georgetown, R. Sixth District—Jacob Emerson, Methuen, R.

Middlesex County.

First District—Benjamin F. Hayes, Medford, R. Second District—Robert R. Bishop, * Newton, R. Third District—Asa P. Morse, Cambridge, R. Fourth District—Samuel N. Aldrich, Marlboro, D. and G. Fifth District—E. Dana Bancroft, Ayer, D. Sixth District—Daniel Russell, Melrose, R. Seventh District—Francis Jewett, Lowell, R.

Plymouth County.

First District—Joseph S. Beal, * Kingston, Rep. Second District—Jonathan White, * Brockton, Rep.

Hampshire County.

John L. Otis, Northampton, Rep.

Franklin County.

Henry Winn, * Shelburne, R.

Berkshire County.

North District—Dallas J. Dean, Adams, R. South District—Justin Dewey, Great Barrington, R.

Worcester County.

First District—Henry C. Rice, Worcester, R. Second District—William Knowlton, * Upton, R. Third District—James W. Stockwell, Sutton, R. Fourth District—Alpheus Harding, Athol, R. Fifth District—Charles H. Merriam, * Leominster, R.

Norfolk County.

First District—Nathaniel Wales, Stoughton, R. Second District—Frederic D. Ely, Dedham, R.

Hampden County.

First District—Charles L. Gardner, * Palmer, R. Second District—A. C. Woodworth, Chicopee, Rut. and G.

4—O. M. Singleton, D.
Maj., 14,583.
5—C. O. Hooker, D.
C. O. Hooker, B.
Maj., 11,882.
6—J. R. Chalmers, D.
J. R. Chalmers, D.
Maj., 4603.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

1—J. G. Hall, R.
Frank Jones, D.
Maj., 43.
2—J. F. Briggs, R.
J. F. Briggs, R.
Maj., 1093.
3—E. W. Farr, R.
H. W. Blair, R.
Maj., 855.

NEW JERSEY.

1—G. M. Robeson, R.
C. H. Sinnickson, R.
Maj., 2500.
Maj., 1890.

NORTH CAROLINA.

1—J. J. Yeates, D.
J. J. Yeates, D.
Maj., 1188.
2—W. H. Kitchen, D.
C. H. Brogden, R.
Maj., 9186.
3—A. M. Waddell, D.
A. M. Waddell, D.
Maj., 1738.
4—J. J. Davis, D.
J. J. Davis, D.
Maj., 1593.
5—A. M. Scales, D.
A. M. Scales, D.
Maj., 2285.
6—W. L. Steele, D.
W. L. Steele, D.
Maj., 6973.
7—R. F. Armfield, D.
W. M. Robbins, D.
Maj., 4175.
8—R. B. Vance, D.
R. B. Vance, D.
Maj., 8442.

NEW YORK.

1—J. W. Covert, D.
J. W. Covert, D.
Maj., 6023.
2—D. O'Reilly, I. D., R.
W. D. Yeeder, D.
Maj., 728.
3—S. B. Chittenden, R.
S. B. Chittenden, R.
Maj., 252.
4—A. M. Bliss, D.
A. M. Bliss, D.
Maj., 7014.
5—N. Muller, D.
N. Muller, D.
Maj., 10,504.
6—S. S. Cox, D., G.
S. S. Cox, D.
Maj., 17,057.
7—Ed. Einstein, R., I. D.
Anthony Eickhoff, D.
Maj., 7148.
8—A. G. McCook, R., I.
A. G. McCook, R.
Maj., 813.
9—Fernando Wood, D.
Fernando Wood, D.
Maj., 6063.
10—Jas. O'Brien, I. D.
A. S. Hewitt, D.
Maj., 10,331.
11—Levi P. Morton, R.
B. A. Willis, D.
Maj., 427.
12—Alex. Smith, R.
C. N. Potter, R.
Maj., 5018.
13—J. H. Ketcham, R.
J. H. Ketcham
Maj., 2112.
14—Geo. M. Beebe, D.
G. M. Beebe, D.
Maj., 2066.
15—Wm. Lounsberry, D.
S. L. Mayham, D.
Maj., 4231.

" Harvey French,
" Hemsworth & Gill, repair
" J. O. Williams, concrete si
" Ellis & Chase, stone,
" P. McDonnell, gravel,
" Frederick & Field, pavers
" Gore & Swithin, paving gu

Paid Edwin Burns, labor,
" Hosea B. Ellis,
" Luke A. Rideout,
" Maurice Sheahan,
" Michael Bowen,

Amounts carried forward

High: Barnstables, Dukes and Nantucket Counties.

Cape District—J. B. D. Cogswell*, Yarmouth, R.

REPRESENTATIVES ELECTED.

Bristol County.

First District—William D. Withere'll, Norton, and John Stanley, North Attleboro, R.
Second District—Elmer Lincoln, Raynham, R.
Third District—William Reed, Jr., John W. Hart and John D. Reed, Taunton, R.
Fourth District—Elbridge G. Morton, Jr.,* Fairhaven, R.
Fifth District—Rufus M. Soule* and James M. Lawton, New Bedford, R.
Sixth District—Wm. Sanders and Andrew Bullock, New Bedford, R.
Seventh District—William P. Macomber, Westport, P.
Eighth District—Patrick M. McGlynn* and Marcus Leonard, Fall River, But. D. and John W. Cummings, Fall River, D.
Ninth District—Andrew J. Jennings*, Fall River, and David W. Wilbur, Somerset, R.
Tenth District—James E. East-erbrooks, Swansea, R.

Norfolk County.

First District—Tyler Thayer, Norwood, R.
Second District—E. I. Thomas*, Brookline, R.
Third District—William J. Stuart, Hyde Park, R.
Fourth District—Horace E. Ware, Milton, R.
Fifth District—Edwin W. March* and Edwin B. Pratt, Quincy, and Freeman Hollis, Weymouth, R.
Sixth District—George D. Willis, South Braintree, R.
Seventh District—John T. Flood*, Randolph, But. D. and H. C. Clark, Walpole, R.
Eighth District—Hiram Whitely, Bellingham, and Elijah B. Daniels, Medway, R.
Ninth District—William A. Tilden, R.

Plymouth County.

First District—Arthur Lincoln, Hingham, R.
Second District—William H. Litchfield, South Scituate, R.
Third District—George F. Skyles*, Pembroke, R.
Fourth District—William Searcy, Carver, R.
Fifth District—Charles Howland, Plymouth, R.
Sixth District—Judah Hathaway, Rochester, R.
Seventh District—Matthew H. Cushing, Middleboro, R.
Eighth District—George P. Hurdin, Bridgewater, R.
Ninth District—John M. Lyson, Haver, But. G.
Tenth District—Not reported.
Eleventh District—Henry N. Powers*, South Abington, R.

Barnstable County.

First District—Isaac Fish*, Sandwich, R.
Second District—Andrew Lovell*, Barnstable, R.
Third District—Thomas Prince Hove*, Dennis, R.
Fourth District—Rufus Smith, Chatham, R.
Fifth District—Elisha Crocker, Jr., Brewster, R.
Sixth District—Bangs A. Lewis, Provincetown, R.

Franklin County.

First District—Rufus Livermore, Orange, R.
Second District—J. F. Bartlett, Turners Falls, R.
Third District—E. A. Hall, Greenfield, R.
Fourth District—Charles E. Aldrich*, South Deerfield, But.
Fifth District—Rufus S. Hoyt, Bennington, R.
Sixth District—L. B. Rice, Charlestown, R.

Hampden County.

First District—W. J. Ricketts, Monson, R.
Second District—B. E. Barr, Ludlow, R.
Third District—Frank H. Norton, Chicopee, R.
Fourth District—William Pynchon* and John E. Shiman, Springfield, R.
Fifth District—Charles E. Ladd, Springfield, R.
Sixth District—Dr. E. S. Beebe, East Longmeadow, R.
Seventh District—E. B. Maynard, Springfield, D.
Eighth District—T. L. Kough, Holyoke, D.
Ninth District—Joseph Murray, Holyoke, R.
Tenth District—Merritt Van Deusen, Westfield, R. and J. H. Bryan, Westfield, R. and anti-But. D.
Eleventh District—Ethan D. Dickinson, Granville, R.

Worcester County.

First District—Frederick Thayer, Blackstone, R.
Second District—Isaac N. Crosby, Milford, and Homer W. Darling, Mendon, Reps.
Third District—Francis* Fowler, Northbridge, R.
Fourth District—George O. Brigham*, Westboro', R.
Fifth District—Samuel B. D.

mon, Lancaster, and Abner Harvard, Harvard, Reps. Sixth District—Charles T. Crocker, and Luther J. Brown, Fitchburg, Reps. Seventh District—William Brown, Princeton, and Wilder P. Clark, Winchendon, Reps. Eighth District—Leander B. Morse, Athol, D. Ninth District—Lyman Clark, Petersham, R. Tenth District—Chauncey Loring, Barre, R. Eleventh District—Charles R. Bartlett, Rutland, R. Twelfth District—Theodore C. Bates, North Brookfield, and J. F. Smith, Warren, Reps. Thirteenth District—Samuel C. Faine, Oxford, and George D. Woodbury, Charlton, Reps. Fourteenth District—Robert Humphrey, Webster, R. Fifteenth District—George W. Rice, Sutton, D. Sixteenth District—David F. Wood, Northboro, R. Seventeenth District—George F. Colburn, Leominster, R. Eighteenth District—Thomas J. Haebigs*, Worcester, R. Nineteenth District—W. A. S. Smyth*, Worcester, R. Twentieth District—Frank D. Leary*, Worcester, D. Twenty-first District—M. J. McCafferty, Worcester, Ind. D. Twenty-second District—James H. Mellen*, Worcester, D. Twenty-third District—Joseph P. Walker, Worcester, R. Twenty-fourth District—Calvin I. Hartshorn, Worcester, R. Twenty-fifth District—John D. Washburn*, Worcester, R.

Berkshire County.

First District—B. F. Mather, Jr., Williams-town, R. Second—W. F. Darby, North Adams, and H. H. Holmes, Adams, R. Third—S. N. Russell* and Frank W. Rockwell, Pittsfield, R. Fourth—Leonard McCulloch, Savoy, R. Fifth—Elizur Smith, Lee, R. Sixth—Dr. S. N. Reynolds, Richmond, R. Seventh—Walter B. Peck, Egremont, R. Eighth—M. J. Smith, Sheffield, R.

Hampshire County.

First District—Henry S. Sheldon, Southampton, and William M. Gaylord, Southampton, R., and Abbott, D. Second—R. M. Montague, Hadley, R. Third—Alvin Barras, Goshen, R. Fourth—Professor E. P. Crowell, Amherst, R. Fifth—Frederick W. Hosmer, Ware, R.

Middlesex County.

First District—Edwin B. Hale* and George W. Park, Cambridge, Reps. Second District—James H. Sparrow, A. C. Webber and Lucius R. Paige*, Cambridge, Reps. Third District—Joseph J. Kelley*, Cambridge, D. and G. Fourth District—Richard E. Nickerson*, Somerville, R. Fifth District—Enos T. Luce, Somerville, R. Sixth District—Jacob T. Glimes*, Somerville, R. Seventh District—John H. Hooper, Medford, R. Eighth District—Elisha S. Converse* and James P. Magee, Malden, R. Ninth District—Joseph D. Wilde, Melrose, R. Tenth District—John Berry, Stoneham, R. Eleventh District—Dr. Azel Ames, Wakefield, R. Twelfth District—Daniel H. Wadlin, Reading, R. Thirteenth District—Montresor S. Seelye, Woburn, D. and G. But. Fourteenth District—Josiah F. Stone, Winchester, R. Fifteenth District—William H. Ingraham, Watertown, R. Sixteenth District—Levi C. Wade* and Chas. E. Ranlett*, Newton, Reps. Seventeenth District—David Randall, Waltham, R. Eighteenth District—Augustus E. Scott, Lexington, R. Nineteenth District—John W. Peabody, Oraduc, R. Twentieth District—Wm. N. Hoar, Lowell, D. Twenty-first District—Leavitt R. J. Varnum, Lowell, R. Twenty-second District—Robert E. Crowley, Lowell, D. and G. But. Twenty-third District—James W. Bennett, Lowell, R. Twenty-fourth District—William H. Wiggin, Lowell, R. and Pro. Twenty-fifth District—John J. Pickman, Lowell, R. Twenty-sixth District—Richard Barrett, Concord, R. Twenty-seventh District—Alonzo S. Fiske, Weston, R. Twenty-eighth District—Frank Bigelow, Natick, R. Twenty-ninth District—Jonathan Holbrook, But. D. Thirtieth District—J. Whittemore, Hopkinton, R. Thirty-first District—Joel C. Clark, Framingham, R. Thirty-second District—D. S. Mooney, Marlboro', D. and G. But. Thirty-third District—Edwin Whitney, Stow, R. Thirty-fourth District—Not reported. Thirty-fifth District—Frank W. Wright, Ashby, R.

Dukes County.

First District—Benjamin Clough*, Tisbury, R.

VOTE OF LYNN.

The result caused no surprise, and, although the Greenbackers were well satisfied with the vote in the city, they were thoroughly disgusted with the "outside returns." Nathan Clark disappointed his Lynn supporters greatly, running more than 800 votes behind his ticket in this city. A more sorry looking set would be hard to find than the Greenbackers last evening. The vote was the largest ever thrown. Business, as a general thing, was suspended during the day, and there were no disturbances throughout the city. All the Greenback Representatives throughout the city were elected, and Butler received a good majority. The Republicans had a gala time last evening. The following are the full returns:

FOR GOVERNOR.

Wards.....	1	2	3	4	5	6	7 Total.
Benj. F. Butler.....	104	275	688	773	743	25	96 3374
Thomas Tabbot.....	28	81	441	608	541	478	54 2229
Josiah G. Abbott.....	2	4	43	27	31	695	6 138
Alonso A. Miner.....	1	6	9	10	12	1	.. 39

FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

John F. Arnold.....	102	361	452	662	718	521	92 3038
John H. Arnold.....	..	9	13	61	..	138	3 210
John D. Long.....	30	85	442	625	567	490	54 2233
Wm. A. Plunnett.....	2	4	48	34	38	40	6 172
George C. Ewing.....	1	8	23	15	25	12	.. 84

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE.

Weston Howland.....	102	265	641	727	706	647	91 3179
Henry B. Pierce.....	30	89	465	637	573	507	59 2360
Henry C. Ewings.....	2	4	50	34	25	41	6 162
David B. Gurney.....	1	8	23	18	15	12	.. 77

FOR TREASURER AND RECEIVER-GENERAL.

John H. Jennings.....	102	261	658	731	686	640	91 3169
Charles Endicott.....	30	89	443	633	572	506	51 2332
David N. Skillings.....	3	12	76	54	51	53	6 255

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Wm. D. Northend.....	104	263	660	733	706	636	92 3194
George Marston.....	29	92	442	632	576	502	58 2331
Richard Olney.....	21	4	46	34	38	41	6 173
Orin F. Gray.....	1	8	23	19	13	12	.. 76

FOR AUDITOR.

Davis J. King.....	102	263	657	728	706	639	91 3086
Julius L. Clark.....	30	92	441	636	575	506	59 2342
J. E. Fitzgerald.....	2	4	43	35	39	40	6 168
Jonathan H. Orne.....	1	8	23	18	15	12	.. 68

FOR COMPTROLLER.

Jas. N. Buffum.....	100	264	628	731	695	603	75 2796
Harmon Hall.....	34	103	534	676	630	583	81 2537

FOR REPRESENTATIVE TO CONGRESS.

Nathan Clark.....	92	211	658	703	638	508	90 2985
S. Z. Bowman.....	34	131	503	637	635	573	61 2629

FOR REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY.

A. C. Goodell, Jr.....	35	100	444	690	678	531	53 2477
J. T. Mahoney.....	98	259	676	715	701	635	96 2672

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

J. W. Raymond.....	29	99	448	533	577	510	59 2575
A. H. Pettengill.....	3	14	156	107	88	214	9 588
S. F. Prescott.....	102	241	548	639	653	449	86 2719

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

Benjamin A. Ward.....	101	259	631	764	709	655	97 3166
E. K. Jenkins.....	33	104	508	685	618	516	59 2518

SENATOR—FIRST ESSEX DISTRICT.

Nathan M. Hawkes.....	29	105	427	562	468	461	53 2105
George Foster, D.....	10	59	292	263	163	264	.. 1084
C. Waldo Dyer, G.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
& W.....	94	184	448	526	561	411	.. 2303
C. D. Hills, P.....	3	12	37	53	114	34	.. 252

FOR REPRESENTATIVE—DISTRICT NINE—WARD THREE.

Amasa C. Robinson, G.....	..	..	..	675	..	..	..
E. F. P. Smith, R.....	..	..	..	387	..	..	..
Oscar F. Ingalls, D.....	..	..	..	105	..	..	..
A. E. Wilkes, P.....	..	..	..	34	..	..	..

FOR REPRESENTATIVE—DISTRICT TEN—WARDS ONE, TWO, FOUR, FIVE, SEVEN AND NINE.

D. R. Picham, G.....	98	288	..	658	641	..	88 1773
C. A. Wentworth, G.....	98	271	..	672	661	..	87 1789
Wm. Lyons, G.....	88	268	..	614	634	..	85 1689
Augustine Jones, R.....	27	73	..	310	537	..	58 1805
Thos. B. Newhall, R.....	28	74	..	563	537	..	58 1200
Wm. Lumsden, R.....	47	76	..	596	543	..	58 1320
B. A. Ingalls, D.....	3	5	..	134	103	..	9 254
H. E. Manroe, D.....	3	5	..	171	160	..	12 351
H. F. Lewis, D.....	2	7	..	99	87	..	9 204
David N. Johnson, P.....	8	..	..	21	16	..	1 46
T. P. Richardson, P.....	2	7	..	24	29	..	62
W. A. Gore, P.....	1	6	..	21	11	..	39

FOR REPRESENTATIVE—ELEVENTH DISTRICT, WARD SIX.

Thomas H. Day, G.....	..	..	..	593	..	593	..
Samuel B. Walpey, R.....	..	..	..	568	..	568	..

THE VOTE OF THE CITIES.

The following shows the votes of the cities

Amherst	2,500	2,512	1,891	167
Amherst	3,750	2,673	215	8
Amherst	1,805	1,215	50	23
Amherst	2,098	2,710	57	1
Amherst	1,212	877	71	10
Amherst	943	1,424	117	3
Amherst	1,314	1,120	139	15
Amherst	2,233	3,379	131	19
Amherst	2,510	2,130	147	25
Amherst	658	899	51	40
Amherst	1,939	2,633	104	3
Amherst	3,773	4,236	...	...
Amherst	2,232	1,524	105	13
Amherst	1,687	1,137	77	9
Amherst	1,534	1,428	26	16
Amherst	4,232	3,735	239	123
Amherst	2,101	1,134	...	...
Amherst	1,629	1,134	68	...
Amherst	1,287	673	37	7

The result of the election in this State on Tuesday is now pretty definitely known in all its details. The vote for Governor, with only eight towns to hear from, is as follows:

Talbot, 134,103; Butler, 108,787; Abbot, 9803; Miner, 1977. Talbot's plurality, 25,321.

The Congressional delegation remains the same as reported yesterday, with the Sixth District still in doubt. The returns as published show a plurality of only forty-one votes for Doctor Loring, and as Mr. Boynton has petitioned for a recount it is not at all improbable that it will show a different result.

The Senate is largely Republican, but the House will contain more than its usual quota of Democrats, Greenbackers and Independents. The following returns will show the votes of those towns which failed to report in season for yesterday's election:

The following additional returns of the vote in the Fourth Councillor District make the totals as follows:

Lane, 14,033; McLean, 17,227; Cushing, 118. McLean's plurality is increased by 799, giving him a plurality of 3194.

Ward 17—Precinct 4	220	234	4
Precinct 2	710	156	3
Ward 6—Precinct 3	100	301	..
Ward 10—Precinct 2	289	85	..
Precinct 4	143	235	6

Amos Rowe, Greenbacker, is elected Representative from Rockport, instead of Jason L. Curtis, as reported yesterday. The vote was as follows: Rowe, 727; Curtis, 411.

THE SIXTH DISTRICT.

Loring's Plurality Now Estimated at Forty-one—The Salem Greenbackers Will Petition for a Recount of the Votes.

The following is the latest corrected account of the vote for Representative in the Sixth Congressional District:

	Loring.	Carleton.	Boynton.
Amesbury	241	29	189
Beverly	614	47	644
Buxford	115	38	9
Bradford	133	96	121
Danvers	493	60	607
Essex	162	25	158
Georgetown	245	102	132
Gloucester	8:8	217	1392
Groveland	158	98	130
Hamilton	75	25	54
Haverhill	1014	471	999
Hewich	349	51	234
Lyndfield	71	15	25
Manchester	89	32	163
Marblehead	402	216	851
Merrimac	214	18	176
Middleton	94	...	76
Newbury	151	9	78
Newburyport	965	136	1142
North Andover	137	104	227
Peabody	643	104	525
Rockport	268	40	503
Roxbury	120	...	89
Salem	1990	631	1266
Salisbury	344	18	265
Topsfield	129	18	86
Wenham	84	21	73
West Newbury	187	13	213
Total, 28 towns	10,313	2661	10,277

Loring's plurality, 41.

The Salem Greenback leaders will petition today for a recount of the vote in this District; and the "hand some Doctor" does not yet rest in a condition of sweet security that his election is sure.

Mr. Loring Will Petition for a Recount of the Votes—Some Queer Developments.

LYNN, Mass., November 6.—The Hon. J. D. Boynton will petition for a recount in several towns in this Congressional District. It is believed by many here that he will succeed. The Ocean Wave, an evening paper in this city, says: "In Danvers a flop of

from Mr. Boynton's column to his principal opponent, and in Salem, it is said, there have been more votes tallied than there are voters, and also that votes are falling off from Mr. Carleton's column to that of Dr. Loring."

IN GENERAL.

Nantucket.

For Governor—Thomas Talbot, 363; Benjamin F. Butler, 53; Josiah G. Abbott, 36; Alonzo A. Miner, 1. For Lieutenant-Governor—John D. Long, 363; John F. Arnold, 53; William R. Plunkett, 35; H. C. Ewing, 1. For Secretary of State—Henry B. Felce of Abington, 354; Henry C. Ewing, 27; Weston Howland, 52; Gurney, 1. For Treasurer and Receiver-General—Charles Endicott of Canton, 350; David N. Skillings, 28; John H. Jennings, 52. For Attorney-General—George Marston of New Bedford, 372; Northend, 37; Allen Coffin, 1; Charles R. Train, 1; Orin T. Gray, 1. For State Auditor—Julius L. Clarke of Newton, 350; John E. Fitzgerald, 27; Davis J. King, 53. Representative in Congress: First District—William W. Crapo of New Bedford, 356; Matthias Davis, 79. For Councillor: First District—John S. Brayton of Fall River, 356; S. B. Phinney, 74. For Senator from Cape and District—John B. D. Cogswell of Yarmouth, 352; Isaiah T. Jones, 83. For Representative in General Court—Charles B. Swain, 161; Henry Paddock, 232. Register of Probate and Insolvency for the County of Nantucket—Samuel Swain, 437.

Additional Returns.

Edgartown: Governor—Talbot, 137; Butler, 38; Abbott, 15; Miner, 12. For Congress—Crapo, 147; Ellis, 41; French, 12. Tisbury—Talbot, 157; Butler, 75; Abbott, 7; Miner, 15. For Congress—Crapo, 214. Chilmark—Talbot, 44; Butler, 12; Abbott, 17. Benjamin Clough, for Representative, is 28 votes ahead of P. L. Smith, with Gay Head and Gosnold wanting. Moses C. Vincent of Chilmark is elected County Commissioner, and Hebron Vincent of Edgartown, both over bolters, by a close vote.

Possibility of a Contested Election in Springfield.

(Special Despatch to The Boston Globe.) SPRINGFIELD, Mass., November 7.—It is possible that the election of Leonard Clark of this city (Rep.) as County Commissioner may be contested by Lawson Sibley of this city (Dem.) In Chicopee 132 Greenbackers voted a ticket bearing the name of "L. Clark of Springfield," for County Commissioner, and, as there is another L. Clark in this city, the Democrats claim that these votes should not be counted for Leonard Clark. The Greenbackers, however, are ready to affirm that it was their intention to vote for the Republican nominee for County Commissioner, and the courts have held that it is the intention of the voters which is to decide all questions of this kind. Should these 132 votes be counted for Clark, he will be elected by seventy-two plurality, but if they are not counted for him Sibley (Dem.) will be elected by sixty plurality. The matter will be decided by the Board of County Examiners, which is composed of the Judge and Register of Probate and the Clerk of the Courts, all of whom are Republicans.

18 00
14 00
12 25
3 00
17 00

ward, \$676 55 \$4,659 97

Highways, continued.

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>		\$676 55	\$4,659 97
Paid J. N. Walsh,	labor,	2 00	
" Michael Bowen,	"	1 00	
" Patrick Sullivan,	"	9 00	
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EAST DISTRICT.

Paid Hosea B. Ellis,		\$6 00	
" James Galvin,		2 25	
" James Kelley,		3 00	
" Stephen Nagle,		5 25	
" Peter Walsh,		3 00	
" Wm. Donor,		1 75	
" Michael Dunn,		2 00	
" James Connors,		2 00	
" James O'Brien,		2 00	
" Patrick Sullivan,		2 00	
" John Cuniff,		2 00	
" E. W. Uunderwood,		3 00	
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WEST DISTRICT.

Paid Edwin Burns,	labor,	\$8 00	
" Luke A. Rideout,	"	8 00	
" Maurice Sheahan,	"	22 00	
" Wm. Crathorne,	"	6 00	
" Hosea B. Ellis,	" with team,	21 00	
" James Gallagher,	"	6 00	
" James Galvin,	"	1 50	
" L. P. Holbrook,	"	6 00	
" Henry Keating,	"	6 00	
" Thomas Lennon,	"	2 50	
" W. B. Nightingale,	"	6 00	
" James O'Brien,	"	10 00	
" Michael Dunn,	"	4 00	
" James Connors,	"	1 00	
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<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>		\$108 00	\$5,382 77

Highways, continued.

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>	\$108 00	\$5,382 77
Paid James Kelley, labor,	4 00	
" Patrick Sullivan, "	1 00	
" John Cunniff, "	2 00	
" E. W. Underwood, "	9 00	
" J. Long, " on culvert,	10 00	
" H. B. Ellis, carting stone,	3 50	
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NECK AND POINT DISTRICT.

Paid Michael Bowen, labor,	\$33 00	
" James Connors, "	35 00	
" Michael Dunn, "	47 00	
" Hosea B. Ellis, " with teams,	111 75	
" Wm. Faxon, "	14 00	
" Jere Falvey, "	44 00	
" James Gallagher, "	6 50	
" James Kelley, "	65 00	
" John Kelley, "	31 00	
" Nahum Thayer, "	11 62	
" Edwin Burns, "	7 00	
" J. D. Cain, "	54 00	
" John Cunniff, "	21 00	
" John Callahan, "	14 00	
" Wm. Crathorne, "	34 00	
" Albert Dailey, "	10 50	
" John Denward, "	20 00	
" W. M. French, " with teams,	31 50	
" Patrick Garvin, "	38 50	
" E. F. Hayden, "	20 50	
" Henry Keating, "	1 50	
" Patrick Larkin, "	12 00	
" Thomas Lennon, "	9 00	
" Peter Martin, "	10 00	
" Stephen Nagle, " with teams,	63 88	
" Francis Nott, "	90 75	
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<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>	\$837 00	\$5,520 27

Highway, continued.

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>		\$837 00	\$5,520 27
Paid	W. B. Nightingale, labor,	13 00	
"	James O'Brien, "	29 00	
"	J. V. Packard, "	91 87	
"	Abram Prescott, " with team,	30 62	
"	Luke A. Rideout, "	18 00	
"	Patrick Sullivan, "	18 00	
"	Maurice Sheahan, "	3 50	
"	Daniel Shea, "	36 00	
"	John Shea, "	13 00	
"	Michael Scully, "	21 00	
"	Frank Tucker, "	4 37	
"	E. W. Underwood, "	76 50	
"	Henry Vinal, "	34 00	
"	J. N. Walsh, "	33 50	
"	Peter Walsh, "	30 00	
"	John Walsh, "	20 00	
"	James Connors, "	10 00	
"	Wm. Faxon, "	12 25	
"	Eugene Falvey, "	10 00	
"	James Galvin, "	7 50	
"	L. P. Holbrook, "	31 00	
"	Wm. Donor, "	7 00	
"	A. M. Litchfield, repairing street rails,	23 13	
"	Isaac Phillips, " culvert,	3 00	
"	H. H. Faxon, " rails,	2 61	
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NEWCOMB STREET.

Paid	J. D. Cain, labor,	\$4 49	
"	Hosea B. Ellis, "	34 75	
"	Fred. Dean, "	2 00	
"	James Gallagher, "	23 50	
"	E. F. Hayden, "	18 50	
"	James Kelley, "	30 00	
"	Henry Keating, "	24 50	
<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>		<hr/>	<hr/>
		\$137 74	\$6,936 12

Highways, continued.

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>		\$137 74	\$6,936 12
Paid	Francis Nott, labor with team,	63 00	
"	Wm. Talbot, "	2 00	
"	Nahum Thayer, "	6 75	
"	E. W. Underwood, "	36 00	
"	Michael Dunn, "	32 50	
"	L. P. Holbrook, "	6 00	
"	Wm. Crathorne, "	19 00	
"	Jere. Falvey, "	5 00	
"	John Kelley, "	5 00	
"	J. N. Walsh, "	2 00	
"	John Cunniff, "	27 00	
"	John Denward, "	3 00	
"	Stephen Nagle, " with team,	7 00	
"	James Connors, "	17 50	
"	James O'Brien, "	19 00	
"	Patrick Sullivan, "	3 00	
"	Harvey French, "	3 75	
"	W. B. Nightingale, "	8 00	
"	Nahum Thayer, "	7 13	
"	Ellis & Chase, stone,	60 00	
		<hr/>	470 37

EDWARDS STREET.

Paid	James Connors, labor,	\$14 00	
"	Wm. Crathorne, "	13 00	
"	John Cunniff, "	12 00	
"	Michael Dunn, "	13 00	
"	James Kelley, "	11 50	
"	James O'Brien, "	8 00	
"	E. W. Underwood, "	12 75	
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NEW ROAD, FROM WILLARD TO CROSS STREETS.

Paid	James Connors, labor,	\$3 50	
"	Wm. Crathorne, "	3 50	
<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>		<hr/>	<hr/>
		\$7 00	\$7,490 74

Highways, continued.

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>		\$7 00	\$7,490 74
Paid	John Cunniff, labor,	3 50	
"	Michael Dunn, "	3 50	
"	James Kelley, "	3 50	
"	James O'Brien, "	3 50	
"	E. W. Underwood, "	6 00	
"	Plan of New Street,	3 00	
		<hr/>	30 00

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Paid	Derrick, C. N. Hunt,	\$260 00	
"	Carting, on derrick,	2 50	
"	Freight, " "	6 10	
"	Ames Plow Co., shovels,	17 75	
"	H. W. Hosie, carting,	1 00	
"	Stationery,	3 00	
"	W. Abercrombie, shovels, pails, &c.,	6 05	
"	S. F. Newcomb, lanterns and oil,	1 60	
"	Glines & Lacey, picks,	8 00	
"	Whitney & Nash, tools,	14 60	
"	A. Feltis, tools and repairs,	2 77	
"	E. C. Adams, gravel,	3 25	
"	W. F. Lakin, lumber,	43 37	
"	C. Hardwick, heirs, grout,	114 63	
"	Wm. Mahoney, labor and gravel,	3 00	
"	Mitchell, Wendell, & Co., stone, &c.,	22 00	
"	J. W. Lombard, selling derrick,	12 00	
"	Removing snow,	262 99	
		<hr/>	784 61
Total amount bills paid by H. B. Ellis,			<hr/> \$8,305 35

SUNDRY BILLS APPROVED BY H. B. ELLIS, AND PAID BY THE SELECTMEN.

Paid	H. B. Feltis, irons for fence,	\$26 55	
"	Horace Feltis, blacksmithing,	64 81	
<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>		<hr/>	<hr/> \$91 36 \$8,305 35

Highways, continued.

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>	\$91 36	\$8,305 35
Paid John L. Souther, gravel,	83 44	
“ E. C. Sargent, powder and blasting,	68 10	
“ J. Q. A. Wild, blacksmithing,	42 72	
“ E. Ramsdell, stock and labor,	39 39	
“ A. M. Litchfield, “ “ “	20 05	
“ A. Vogle & Son, stone chips,	1 33	
“ E. Pope, stock and labor, Squantum Causeway,	3 80	
“ A. M. Litchfield, stock and labor at Neck,	15 40	
“ R. Townsend, labor,	1 80	
“ Citizens' Gas Light Co., coal ashes,	4 50	
“ E. B. Souther, stone chips,	26 88	
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Labor from almshouse,		\$8,704 12
		573 60
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Total,		\$9,277 72

STATEMENT OF HOSEA B. ELLIS, SURVEYOR, CASH ACCOUNT.

DR.

To cash rec'd from the selectmen,		\$7,876 70
“ “ “ “ Nancy Brackett, labor,	\$5 00	
“ “ “ “ M. Sheahan, loam,	10 00	
“ “ “ “ L. Rideout, labor, &c.,	9 00	
“ “ “ “ Paul Wild, loam,	2 00	
“ “ “ “ Luke Rideout, labor,	18 00	
“ “ “ “ H. H. Faxon, acct. wall,	175 00	
“ “ “ “ C. F. Derry, ballast,	78 65	
“ “ “ “ sale of derrick and tools,	115 00	
“ “ “ “ J. H. Veazie, labor,	4 00	
“ “ “ “ J. Edwards, labor,	5 00	
“ “ “ “ Geo. Veazie, 2d,	2 00	
“ Balance due surveyor,	5 00	
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		\$8,305 35

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By cash expended as per preceding report,	\$8,305 35
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Highways, continued.

CENTRE DISTRICT.

W. A. Hodges, Surveyor.

Paid	J. Q. A. Field, superintending,	\$60 00
"	John McDonnell, labor,	60 00
"	Wm. Garvin, "	55 75
"	John Donovan, "	40 00
"	Wm. Munday, "	35 50
"	Michael Dunn, "	25 00
"	Patrick Larkin, "	28 25
"	James Gallagher, "	3 50
"	Wm. Crathorne, "	40 50
"	Con. Moriarty, "	82 50
"	John Lennon, "	29 00
"	Hugh Falvey, "	29 50
"	John Kelley, "	38 00
"	James Brannon, "	6 00
"	Wm. A. Hodges, "	15 32
"	Bernard Munday, "	8 50
"	Frank McCormick, "	9 50
"	A. Nugent, "	8 00
"	B. McCurdy, "	3 50
"	Wm. Castello, "	3 50
"	James Erskine, "	23 80
"	Harvey French, setting edge-stone,	58 92
"	F. & C. Wilson, stone,	21 66
"	J. Q. A. Wild, stone,	23 25
"	Thomas Drake, laying wall,	82 50
"	S. A. Fletcher, carting stone,	96 00
"	J. L. Souther, gravel,	3 60
"	Henry Barker & Son, stone and carting,	70 00
"	P. McDonnell, gravel,	6 16
"	Mitchell Granite Co., stone,	13 20
"	Chas. P. Tirrell, gravel,	9 20
"	J. Q. A. Field, carting stone,	15 00

Amount carried forward,

\$1,005 11

Highways, continued.

Amount brought forward,

\$1,005 11

NORTH DISTRICT.

J. W. Robertson, Surveyor.

Paid	Wm. Maloney, labor,	\$34 00	
"	Maurice Sheahan, "	222 08	
"	Eliab Ramsdell "	254 57	
"	I. H. Meserve, " culvert, Beale Street,	40 00	
"	N. F. Safford, gravel,	4 64	
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			555 29

SOUTH DISTRICT.

J. Q. A. Field, Surveyor.

Paid	J. Q. A. Field, superintending,	\$40 00	
"	John McDonnell, labor,	42 61	
"	Wm. Garvin, "	24 50	
"	Wm. Crathorne, "	35 00	
"	Patrick Larkin, "	21 00	
"	John Donovan, "	29 50	
"	James Gallagher, "	17 00	
"	Michael Dunn, "	32 50	
"	Wm. Munday, "	10 00	
"	Wm. McKey, "	3 00	
"	Patrick Sullivan, "	14 50	
"	John Lennon, "	10 00	
"	Hugh Falvey, "	17 00	
"	John Kelley, "	23 00	
"	W. A. Hodges, labor of horse and cart,	17 50	
"	Con. Moriarty, labor,	18 00	
"	Chas. Newcomb, "	17 50	
"	John Denward, "	9 00	
"	James O'Brien "	10 00	
"	John Porter, "	5 00	
"	Wm. Castello, "	10 00	
"	J. Q. A. Field, labor of horse and carts, } man ploughing and drawing stone, }	36 76	
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<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>		\$443 37	\$1,560 40

Highways, continued.

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>		\$443 37	\$1,560 40
Paid	Patrick Brennan, labor,	5 00	
"	Mrs. Jane Bance, gravel,	5 00	
"	F. & C. Wilson, stone,	17 00	
"	P. McDonnell & Son, stone and chips,	9 50	
"	Adam Vogle & Son, " 1871,	7 00	
"	Mitchell Granite Co., "	5 28	
		<hr/>	492 15

WEST DISTRICT.

J. W. Robertson, Surveyor,

Paid	G. W. Brooks, gravel,	\$29 50	
"	James Faulkner, gravel and labor,	6 25	
		<hr/>	35 75

NEW ROAD, FROM WILLARD TO CROSS STREETS.

J. W. Robertson, Surveyor.

Paid	Eliab Ramsdell, building culvert,	\$85 00	
"	John C. Ballou, labor,	200 00	
"	E. C. Conlin, gravel,	30 00	
		<hr/>	315 00

NEWPORT AVENUE, FROM ADAMS TO BEALE STREET.

Selectmen, Surveyors.

Paid	J. Q. A. Field, superintending,	\$100 00	
"	Chas. Newcomb, labor,	70 62	
"	Michael Dunn, "	58 43	
"	Patrick Sullivan, "	34 12	
"	Wm. Crathorne, "	49 36	
"	Michael Scully, "	47 68	
"	Patrick Larkin, "	11 37	
"	James O'Brien, "	26 68	
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<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>		\$398 26	\$2,403 30

Highways, continued.

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>		\$398 26	\$2,403 30
Paid	John Donovan, labor,	29 74	
"	John Denward, "	8 75	
"	James Flynn, "	38 48	
"	Jere. Falvey, "	49 44	
"	B. McCurdy, "	38 49	
"	Wm. Garvin, "	40 18	
"	Wm. Castello, "	1 75	
"	John McDonnell, "	44 19	
"	James Griffin, "	40 68	
"	Timothy Coffee, "	48 56	
"	James Connor, "	44 25	
"	John Q. A. Field, horses, cart and man,	73 93	
"	Maurice Sheahan, " " "	116 77	
"	John Nagle, " " "	24 93	
"	W. A. Hodges, " " "	53 37	
"	J. W. Rideout, labor,	49 37	
"	Dennis Ford, "	32 80	
"	Edward Burns, "	31 92	
"	Patrick White, "	4 81	
"	B. Gerry, "	17 93	
"	Daniel Whalan, "	22 30	
"	Andrew Grany, "	7 00	
"	Francis Nott, "	13 56	
"	Jacob Fondlett, "	1 75	
"	David Colgan, "	2 19	
"	Chas. F. Adams, land damage,	2,000 00	
"	Dell & Biganess, labor,	153 84	
"	Mitchell Granite Co., stone,	22 50	
"	J. Q. A. Field, carting stone, and use of wagon,	15 00	
			3,426 74

EXTENSION OF PLEASANT STREET, AND WIDENING SCHOOL-STREET BRIDGE.

J. Q. A. Field, Surveyor.

Paid	J. Q. A. Field, superintending,	\$40 00	
"	John McDonnell, labor,	30 00	
<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>		\$70 00	\$5,830 04

Highways, continued.

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>		\$70 00	\$5,830 04
Paid	Wm. Garvin, labor,	24 00	
"	Wm. Crathorne, "	24 00	
"	Patrick Larkin, "	22 00	
"	John Donovan, "	22 00	
"	James Gallagher, "	16 00	
"	Michael Dunn, "	16 00	
"	Wm. McKey, "	10 00	
"	Patrick Sullivan, "	15 00	
"	John Cuniff, "	2 00	
"	Wm. Munday, "	12 50	
"	Con. Moriarty, "	30 00	
"	Wales & Son, pump,	25 00	
"	J. Q. A. Wild, labor and stone trough,	64 00	
"	James Berry, covering stone,	70 00	
"	F. & C. Wilson, " "	28 50	
"	Nutting Granite Works, stock and labor,	9 58	
"	Thos. Drake, laying stone and cleaning brook,	58 50	
"	Bailey & Baxter, stock and labor,	16 30	
"	Jona. Williams, stone and labor, with team,	15 00	
"	S. A. Fletcher, " " "	29 50	
			579 88

NEW STREET FROM WASHINGTON TO SOUTH STREET.

W. A. Hodges, Surveyor.

Paid	J. Q. A. Field, superintending,	\$50 00	
"	" " " " " use of horse, cart, and man,	37 62	
"	J. McDonnell, labor,	22 25	
"	William Garvin, "	6 00	
"	John Donovan, "	11 25	
"	Hugh Falvey, "	6 00	
"	Michael Scully, "	13 00	
"	B. McCurdy, "	14 00	
"	John McDonnell, jun., "	7 87	
"	Patrick Larkin, "	18 00	
"	W. A. Hodges, "	14 87	
"	Charles Newcomb, "	25 00	
<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>		\$425 86	\$6,409 92

Highways, continued.

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>		\$425 86	\$6,409 92
Paid John Denward,	labor,	7 00	
" Austin Newcomb,	"	4 81	
" Anthony Malone,	"	10 06	
" William Costello,	"	17 50	
" Con. Moriarty,	"	15 00	
" Michael Dunn,	"	8 75	
" Patrick Sullivan,	"	7 00	
" William Crathorne,	"	7 00	
" James O'Brien,	"	7 00	
" J. Q. A. Field,	" and carting stone,	10 00.	
" Tanzie boy,	"	3 50	
" James Connors,	"	10 00	
" F. & C. Wilson,	stone and carting,	8 00	
" Mitchell Granite Co.,	stone,	25 00	
" George F. Pinkham,	gravel,	55 20	
			421 68

SOUTH WALNUT AND SUMMER STREETS.

W. A. Hodges, Surveyor.

Paid J. Q. A. Field,	superintending,	\$10 00	
" " " " " "	use of horse, cart, and man,	43 75	
" W. A. Hodges,	" " " " " "	7 00	
" Charles Newcomb,	labor,	15 00	
" Patrick Sullivan,	"	10 50	
" William Crathorne,	"	10 50	
" James O'Brien,	"	10 50	
" John Denward,	"	10 50	
" Patrick Larkin,	"	7 00	
" Tanzee boy,	"	4 37	
			129 12

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Paid William McKey,	picking up stones,	\$5 00	
" John Cunniff,	" " "	5 00	
" William Munday,	" " "	5 00	
<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>		\$15 00	\$6,960 72

Highways, continued.

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>	\$15 00	\$6,960 72
Paid Ames Plow Co., picks and shovels,	12 50	
" J. Q. A. Wild, sharpening picks and drills,	36 48	
" Whitney & Nash, picks and shovels,	16 85	
" H. Feltis, sharpening picks,	2 66	
" E. Ramsdell, labor, Squantum,	6 00	
" George W. Billings, culverts and repairing fence,	16 00	
" Luther Briggs, locating Greenleaf Street, 1871,	17 00	
" " " Squantum Causeway, 1871,	15 00	
" " " staking road Hough's Neck,		
1871,	15 00	
" Removing snow,	667 25	
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Labor from Almshouse,		\$7,780 46
		688 15
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Total,		\$8,468 61

UNPAID BILLS FEB. 1, 1872, OF J. Q. A. FIELDS, SURVEYOR, 1871, 1872.

Paid C. H. Hardwick & Co., stone chips, &c.,	\$203 31
" William Davenport, oil, &c.,	3 00
" Alex. Feltis, iron work, &c.,	24 88
" Whitney & Nash, sundries,	32 29
" William Totman, labor,	7 50
" Miss H. C. Bowditch, gravel,	14 00
" W. H. Jones, labor and gravel,	12 05
" C. H. Hardwick, stone chips,	31 08
" E. Rideout, laying wall,	36 25
" C. L. Copeland, gravel,	3 00
" H. Barker, labor and carting,	171 50
" J. F. Eaton, gravel,	13 12
" Mrs. E. Green, advertising,	2 50
" J. Williams, stone,	5 00
" Mitchell Granite Co., stone and chips,	66 09
" J. Q. Adams, ploughing roads,	4 00
" Chas. Elcock, gravel,	5 00
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<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>	\$634 57

Highways, continued.

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>	\$634 57	
Paid Mrs. E. C. Adams, gravel,	2 40	
“ G. R. Smalley, sharpening drills,	1 05	
“ E. C. Sargent, labor,	50 00	
“ E. S. French, stone and labor,	10 06	
“ James Gallagher, labor, snow, E. W. Underwood,	3 00	
“ Wm. Maloney, “ to March 4, 1872,	15 50	
“ George W. Billings, labor, Squantum Causeway,	20 00	
“ Mrs. E. Green, advertising, “ “	3 00	
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Total,		\$739 58

RECAPITULATION OF HIGHWAYS.

Expended by H. B. Ellis, surveyor, as per report,	\$9,277 72	
“ “ Selectmen surveyors, “ “ “	8,468 61	
“ “ J. Q. A. Field, surveyor, 1871 and 1872, as per report,	739 58	
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Total,		\$18,485 91

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT OF J. Q. A. FIELD, SURVEYOR OF HIGH-
WAYS, 1871, 1872.

APPROPRIATIONS.

For repairs on highways, 1871 and 1872,	\$7,500 00
“ Squantum causeway, “ “	5,500 00
“ New streets, 1871, 1872, ordered built as follows : —	
Mears Road,	
Furnace Avenue,	
Cary’s new street,	
Granite Place,	
South Walnut and Summer Streets,	
Sea to Washington “	
Extension of Sea “	3,412 44
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	\$16,412 44

EXPENDITURES.

Paid for repairs on highways, as per report, Feb. 1, 1872,	\$6,192 42
Paid for removing snow, as per report, Feb. 1, 1872,	608 82
Paid for new streets, as per report Feb. 1, 1872,	3,412 44
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	\$10,213 68
Paid for repairs on highways, 1871 and 1872, as per report, Feb. 1, 1873,	739 58
Paid for Squantum Causeway, as per report, Feb. 1, 1872,	3,635 70
Balance of appropriation unexpended,	1,823 48
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	\$16,412 44

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

*John W. Hall, Chief Engineer.*NIAGARA, No. 1. *W. M. French, Engineer.*

Paid forty-one members,	\$205 00	
“ steward,	30 00	
“ W. M. French, services,	10 00	
“ J. Q. A. Wild, iron work,	3 00	
“ Owen Adams, coal,	4 88	
“ D. H. Bills, coal,	4 13	
“ Grenville Brooks, kindlings,	3 00	
“ Tirrell & Sons, varnishing engine,	35 00	
“ “ “ repairs, &c.,	29 60	
“ †A. W. Mitchell, badges,	41 25	
“ C. F. & J. W. Pierce, oil-can, &c.,	4 95	
“ Whitney & Nash, oil and sponges,	2 19	
“ A. M. Litchfield, labor,	8 00	
“ W. A. Abererombie, refreshments,	18 22	
“ “ “ oil, &c.,	11 02	
	<hr/>	\$410 24

TIGER No. 2. *Amos M. Litchfield, Engineer.*

Paid fifty members,	\$250 00	
“ steward,	30 00	
“ Amos M. Litchfield, services,	10 00	
“ *W. W. Penniman, refreshments at Braintree,	20 00	
“ Tirrell & Sons, varnishing and repairing,	39 70	
“ C. F. & J. W. Pierce, lamps, &c.,	25 00	
“ Whitney & Nash, oil,	4 51	
“ J. N. Blake, water-pail, &c.,	4 40	
“ M. Goodhue, refreshments, &c.,	36 45	
“ Amos M. Litchfield, stock and labor,	101 24	
“ C. C. Johnson, oil and alcohol,	6 00	
“ George L. Baxter, rope and mugs,	3 01	530 31
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$940 55

* Refunded.

† To be refunded.

Fire Department, continued.

Amount brought forward, \$ 940 55

GRANITE, No. 3. *William Gragg, Engineer.*

Paid	fifty members,	\$250 00	
"	steward,	30 00	
"	Wm. Gragg, services,	10 00	
"	H. Farnum, brooms,	5 02	
"	Tirrell & Sons, varnishing and repairs,	38 50	
"	† A. W. Mitchell, badges,	62 50	
"	C. F. & J. W. Pierce, lanterns, &c.,	5 65	
"	Grenville Brooks, kindlings,	2 00	
"	P. Lacey, repairs,	9 45	
"	Jonas Shackley, repairing door,	50	
"	G. W. Ripley, oil and refreshments,	42 25	
"	H. Farnum, refreshments,	22 34	
"	L. G. McIntyre, repairs,	7 00	
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			\$485 21

† To be refunded.

VULTURE, No. 4. *George B. Pray, Engineer.*

Paid	fifteen members,	\$75 00	
"	steward,	30 00	
"	Geo. B. Pray, services,	10 00	
"	" " " as clerk of engineers,	10 00	
"	J. F. Cleverley, labor,	1 82	
"	J. Q. A. Wild, iron work,	1 00	
"	Tirrell & Sons, varnishing and repairs	37 00	
"	F. D. Lapham, use of horse,	1 50	
"	J. T. Penniman, leather,	1 50	
"	Harvey French, stock and labor,	57 68	
"	A. P. Messer & Co., refreshments, &c.,	21 67	
"	C. F. & J. W. Pierce, lanterns,	10 00	
"	Grenville Brooks, kindling,	2 50	
"	T. E. Furnald & Co., chairs,	3 75	
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			263 42
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>			\$1,689 18

Fire Department, continued.

Amount brought forward,

\$1,689 18

HOOK AND LADDER, No. 1. *John W. Hall, Engineer.*

Paid	twenty-five members,	\$125 00	
"	steward,	30 00	
"	John W. Hall, services,	10 00	
"	Geo. Veazie, 2d, stock and labor,	15 25	
"	Tirrell & Sons, painting and repairs,	125 00	
"	J. M. Glover, refreshments,	7 00	
"	W. A. Hodges, "	8 00	
"	G. Brooks, kindlings,	6 00	
"	Alex. Feltis, repairs,	3 00	
"	J. N. Blake, sundries,	18 08	
"	" " " "	85	
"	T. E. Furnald & Co., oil and wicks,	3 45	
"	H. W. Gray, refreshments,	26 24	
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W. M. FRENCH, HOSE No. 1. *John W. Hall, Engineer.*

Paid	twenty members,	\$100 00	
"	steward,	30 00	
"	Grenville Brooks, kindlings,	2 00	
"	D. H. Bills, coal,	4 63	
"	Amos M. Litchfield, labor,	10 50	
"	Tirrell & Sons, badges,	9 00	
"	" " " brushes,	3 75	
"	W. Abercrombie, oil and chimneys,	2 88	
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Amount carried forward,.

\$2,229 81

Fire Department, continued.

Amount brought forward, \$2,229 81

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Paid	James Boyd, repairing hose,	\$2 00	
"	Clapp, Evans, & Co., rubber caps and overalls,	99 00	
"	Hunneman & Co., repairs,	100 25	
"	C. N. Ditson & Co., harness dressing,	3 00	
"	G. W. Brooks, labor on reservoir,	16 75	
"	W. M. French, carriage hire,	20 00	
"	Mrs. E. Green, printing,	6 75	
"	Bowditch & Co., express charges,	11 05	
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			\$2,488 61
	Less amount to repairs on engine-houses,		193 17
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			\$2,295 44

CR.

By cash paid by town of Braintree,	\$20 00	
" " received for old hose,	28 35	
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Total amount paid for fire department,		\$2,247 09

CEMETERIES.

OLD CEMETERY. *Ensign S. Fellows, Supt.*

Paid	Wm. Talbot, labor,	\$7 00	
"	Walter Gregory, "	7 00	
"	James Sproul, "	4 00	
"	Simon Gorman, "	7 00	
"	Patrick Larkin, "	3 00	
"	Andrew Gregory, "	8 25	
"	George Graham, "	17 25	
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			\$53 50

MOUNT WOLLASTON CEMETERY. *Ensign S. Fellows, Supt.*

Paid	Luther Briggs, plans, surveys, and services, 1870 and 1871,	\$232 80	
"	Martin Paffman, trees and shrubs,	121 15	
"	Mrs. M. A. Packard, plants,	5 40	
"	J. H. Spear, "	19 35	
"	Horace Feltis, blacksmithing,	2 00	
"	John D. Bradley, trees,	70 00	
"	Daniel Baxter, grass-seeds,	1 64	
"	William Talbot, labor,	306 75	
"	Walter Gregory, "	275 75	
"	James Sproul, "	18 00	
"	Simon Gorman, "	165 75	
"	John Demond, "	2 00	
"	Albert Dailey, "	2 00	
"	James Walsh, "	2 00	
"	Patrick Larkin, "	155 00	
"	Eugene Falvey, "	17 00	
"	Whitney & Nash, fork, &c.,	4 00	
"	E. E. Fellows, water-pot,	1 95	
"	Ensign S. Fellows, services as supt.,	168 34	
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			1,570 88
Total amount paid by town orders,			<hr/>
			1,624 38
Labor from the almshouse,			53 37
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>			\$1,677 75

Cemeteries, continued.

Amount brought forward,

\$1,677 75

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By cash, from sale of lots,	\$820 00	
" " " labor on lots,	53 20	
Balance,	804 55	
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ALMSHOUSE, DR.

Andrew B. Morse, Superintendent.

• Paid A. B. Morse, superintendent,	\$400 00
" A. Feltis, blacksmithing,	36 97
" Wm. Totman, one cow,	40 00
" J. W. Wehble, fish,	32 79
" H. Farnum, butter and tea,	45 92
" E. F. Lockwood, iron work,	2 10
" G. Totman & Son, provisions,	109 50
" G. H. Jones, oil, &c.,	1 87
" J. N. Blake, groceries, &c.,	57 35
" E. Clapp, " "	44 75
" H. W. Gray, " "	60 80
" John Nagle, teamster,	200 00
" H. Feltis, blacksmithing,	45 67
" Nora Daily, servant,	138 00
" Geo. Saville, clothing,	27 25
" Dr. J. H. Gilbert, medical attendance,	29 00
" J. Loud & Co., grain,	342 90
" S. N. Eastman, labor,	12 00
" Ames Plow Co., tools,	12 15
" C. N. Ditson, oil and blacking,	2 00
" Thomas Noble, labor,	4 00
" Geo. J. Jones, harness repairs,	35 51
" Geo. Graham, labor, mowing,	18 00
" A. Gregory, " "	27 00
" P. Chubbuck, " on trees,	1 50

Amount carried forward,

\$1,727 03

Almshouse, continued.

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$1,727 03
Paid	T. J. Snell, whitewashing,	9 00
"	G. F. Wilson, groceries and provisions,	99 27
"	Whitney & Nash, groceries,	71 95
"	D. Baxter & Co., "	80 32
"	Geo. L. Baxter & Co., "	72 23
"	W. Abercrombie "	112 29
"	J. Q. A. Wild, blacksmithing,	92 95
"	D. H. Bills, coal,	81 64
"	Owen Adams, "	50 00
"	D. B. Stetson, boots and shoes,	20 65
"	Tirrell & Sons, blacksmithing,	89 39
"	William Winter, teamster,	16 15
"	" McKey, "	100 00
"	N. H. Beals, posts and rails,	14 00
"	J. H. Veazie, medicines,	47 79
"	C. C. Johnson, "	30 00
"	R. McKey, horseshoeing,	13 50
"	T. E. Fernald & Co., oil, lamps, &c.,	31 88
"	" " sewing-machine,	60 00
"	W. A. Hodges, flour and bread,	309 96
"	W. H. French, repairing boiler and flues,	9 00
"	N. Nightingale, " boots,	4 35
"	R. Lowe, " harness,	1 75
"	C. F. & J. W. Pierce, sundries,	5 76
"	J. T. Ripley, slaughtering hogs,	6 25
"	Dodge & Gilbert, bolts and nuts,	4 47
"	C. A. Spear, sundries,	1 25
"	Keating & Spear, repairing chairs,	2 50
"	E. Packard, sawdust,	50
"	D. W. Perry, repairing wheels,	1 00
"	E. E. Fellows, sundries,	71 40
"	A. B. Morse, sundry bills,	48 43
"	J. O. Holden, clock and repairs,	11 88
"	J. Q. Adams, seaweed,	5 00
"	H. Glidden, meat,	15 95
Total amount paid for almshouse,		<hr/> \$3,319 49

ALMSHOUSE, CR.

Appraisal of Stock, Tools, and Provisions, Feb. 1, 1873.

2 cows,	\$100 00	<i>Brought forward,</i>	\$1,610 90
3 horses,	600 00	Old posts and rails,	10 00
3 cart harnesses,	45 00	Old lumber,	12 00
1 set double “	20 00	3 horse-carts,	100 00
2 lead “	15 00	1 light wagon,	18 00
3 light “	20 00	1 hay-rigging,	30 00
1 hay-cutter,	7 00	Road-tools, chest, &c.,	30 00
3 blankets and surcingles,	8 00	Drags, harness, and jack,	10 00
1 feed chest and box,	5 00	5 tons coal,	50 00
4 bags meal,	6 40	1 grindstone,	3 00
Lot English hay,	50 00	Axe, vice, saws, &c.,	10 00
“ rowen	4 50	Skewers,	15 00
“ barley fodder,	75 00	1 eel-spear,	1 00
“ salt hay,	70 00	Mats, corn, and beans,	10 00
“ bedding,	25 00	Vegetables,	60 00
1 mowing-machine,	15 00	28 fowl,	20 00
Ladders,	5 00	4 bbls. pork,	80 00
1 street-roller,	150 00	5 “ soft soap,	30 00
Wheels and street-scraper,	10 00	Beef and molasses,	18 00
1 iron scraper,	10 00	Lot pickles,	5 00
1 horse-sled,	8 00	“ tubs, pails, baskets, and	
5 snow-scrapers,	25 00	clothes-wringer,	12 00
1 covered wagon,	20 00	8 hams,	25 00
Effects of sailors killed by		Lot lard, apples, &c.,	20 00
railroads,	10 00	“ salt fish,	7 00
1 sleigh,	12 00	“ flour, sugar, butter, beans,	
1 pung,	10 00	and coffee,	50 00
1 wheelbarrow,	3 00	5 stoves,	85 00
Farming tools, yokes, &c.,	40 00	Lot tobacco and medicines,	10 00
Ropes and chains,	10 00	1 box bolts,	3 00
1 grain chest,	12 00	1 water-trough,	5 00
Empty barrels,	3 00	1 chest tea,	15 00
9 cords wood,	72 00	1 sewing-machine,	50 00
12 “ cut “	120 00	1 gravel screw,	5 00
Lot cedar and chestnut posts,	25 00	Manure,	50 00
<i>Carried forward,</i>	\$1,610 90		\$2,459 90

Almshouse, continued.

SALES AND RECEIPTS AT THE ALMSHOUSE.

Cash for board, S. P. Hardwick,		\$56 00
Cow,		50 00
Calf,	\$10 00	
Chickens,	25 00	
Hay,	11 70	
Onions,	2 00	
Cabbage,	2 00	
Turnips,	3 75	
Pork and lard,	17 93	
Potatoes,	16 50	
Milk, eggs, &c.,	51 03	
Carting wood,	9 50	
Moving goods,	2 00	
	<hr/>	151 41
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		\$257 41

STATEMENT OF THE ALMSHOUSE ACCOUNT.

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To stock on hand Feb. 1, 1872,	\$2,861 20	
“ cash paid as per report,	3,319 49	
	<hr/>	\$6,180 69

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By stock on hand Feb. 1, 1873, as per report,	\$2,459 90	
“ cash received from sundries, as per report,	257 41	
“ hay due 1871,	31 89	
“ labor at cemetery,	53 37	
“ “ highways,	1,261 75	
“ lodgings and meals to 80 travellers,	40 00	
	<hr/>	4,104 32
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Total cost of almshouse for year ending Feb. 1, 1873,		\$2,076 37

POOR OUT OF ALMSHOUSE.

Paid *	Grenville Brooks, fuel to	J. Wells,	\$13 00
"	"	" Mrs. Dailey,	12 75
"	"	" " Glennon,	5 25
"	"	" " Linnehan,	11 75
"	"	" " Denwood,	5 25
"	"	" " Vinal,	11 25
"	"	" " Lockney,	3 25
"	"	" " Dexter,	27 25
"	"	" " Webber,	2 00
"	"	" " O'Brien,	10 50
"	"	" " G. Packard,	19 50
" *	"	" " Falvey,	1 00
"	"	" " Clark,	10 50
"	"	" " Calliber,	6 50
"	"	" " Wood,	13 25
"	"	" " Galvin,	6 75
"	"	" " Burke,	7 50
"	"	" " Fouderrette,	5 50
"	"	" " Wells,	5 50
" *	Dr. J. H. Gilbert, med. attend. to	Mrs. J. Wells,	30 00
"	" J. A. Stetson,	" Mr. Moses,	10 00
"	" J. A. Gordon	" Mrs. Lockney,	12 00
"	"	" " Moses,	30 00
"	"	" " Burke,	37 50
"	"	" " Rowell,	4 50
" *	"	" " Falvey,	19 50
"	"	" " Vinal,	11 50
" †	"	" " J. Morrow,	33 77
" †	"	" " Gardner,	2 00
"	" J. Underwood,	" " Newcomb,	16 00
" *	W. A. Hodges, goods to	J. Wells,	4 05
"	"	cash to sundry poor,	11 30
"	State Reform School, support	James Elcock,	
	John Williams,		33 92

Amount carried forward,

\$434 29

* Refunded.

† To be refunded.

Poor out of Almshouse, continued.

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$434 29
Paid State Ref. School, supp't Dailey and Elcock,	11 91
" " " " " Elcock & Rudderham,	22 43
" " " " " Rudderham,	10 92
" * Mrs. Dailey, house-rent Mrs. Falvey,	12 00
" George W. Griffin, support of Charles Mason,	116 00
" City of Lowell, " family of M. Roach,	4 00
" George Locke, fuel to B. Rowell,	5 00
" Jona. Baxter, support of C. L. Wilmarth,	57 00
" George J. Jones, " James Packard,	9 00
" " " " Mrs. N. Packard,	86 00
" S. F. Newcomb, goods to Ellen Jones,	141 00
" J. N. Blake, " Mr. Clark,	16 00
" * " " J. Wells,	9 17
" " " E. O'Brien,	2 00
" State Lun. As., support of W. F. Hinkley,	259 60
" " " Mary F. Rodman,	239 67
" " " Susan Hunt,	236 33
" " " John Cullen,	258 28
" * " " W. Turner,	256 15
" * " " Mary O'Hearn,	235 20
" " " D. Sullivan,	49 75
" † " " C. V. Saville,	130 70
" " " Daniel Manning,	105 90
" † " " Robert Gardner,	25 50
" † John Hall, coffin and burial H. F. Lakner,	18 00
" " " " Charles Moses,	23 00
" " " " B. Rowell,	18 00
" " " " L. Nightingale,	23 50
" " " " Saville child,	7 50
" † " " J. Morrow,	22 00
" † " " James Barrett,	18 00
" " " D. H. Greeley,	4 00
" C. Alger, expenses to T. Wendover,	3 00
" Mary Igo, support Mrs. Vinal,	8 00
" John Griffin, moving furniture,	4 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	<hr/> \$2,882 80

* Refunded.

† To be refunded.

Poor out of Almshouse, continued.

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$2,882 80
Paid H. Farnum, goods to Mrs. White,	64 00	
" Town of Braintree, supp't of L. E. Woodward,	60 00	
" " " " Mrs. Packard,	70 00	
" " Milford, " " Keep,	57 14	
" " Milton, goods to " Moses,	96 35	
" J. H. Veazie, medicine to Mrs. Burke,	15 61	
" * " " " " Falvey,	1 70	
" " " " " J. Wells,	1 45	
" J. B. Newcomb, goods to Chas. Moses,	64 84	
" E. D. Wadsworth, " " "	2 75	
" " fuel, Mrs. Bacon,	20 75	
" Geo. J. Sargent, rent of house, Mrs. Jones,	84 50	
" City of Fall River, support of Mrs. C. P. Saville,	87 00	
" Town of Boxford, " E. Hayden,	102 75	
" H. W. Gray, goods to Mrs. Packard,	5 00	
" City of Haverhill, support, Mrs. Hayden,	267 92	
" " " " Talbot,	289 01	
" Chas. Merrill, ticket to Illinois,	25 25	
" E. H. Doble, flour to Mrs. Tisdale,	11 00	
" City of Cambridge, support, Mrs. Gallagher,	11 76	
" † B. Munday, care of J. Morrow,	20 00	
" Peter Rowell, " Rowell and Flagg,	16 00	
" Owen Adams, coal to Mrs. Manny,	7 75	
" " " " Tisdale,	8 00	
" " " " Hetherson,	8 00	
" " " " Forbes,	8 00	
" Danl. Baxter, house rent, Mrs. Denward,	48 00	
" Thos. Gurney, goods to Mrs. Ryan,	15 00	
" † " " " J. Morrow,	17 93	
" " " " M. Harran,	5 00	
" C. C. Johnson, medicines, sundry poor,	32 62	
" † E. Ramsdell, care of J. Morrow,	5 00	
" Geo. L. Baxter & Co., goods to Mrs. Lockney,	2 94	
" " " " " Burke,	7 00	
" " " " " J. Foudurette,	5 00	
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$1,427 82

* Refunded.

† To be refunded.

Poor out of Almshouse, continued.

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$4,427 82
Paid N. B. Furnald, expense, D. Sullivan,	15 25
“ J. W. Robertson, cash to sundry poor,	22 75
“ W. Abercrombie, goods to Mrs. Clark,	2 00
“ “ “ B. Rowell,	5 00
“ “ “ Josiah Bass,	104 00
“ Gurney & Mason, “ B. Rowell,	25 00
“ City of Boston, support of Tim Curtin,	21 12
“ “ “ F. M. H. Rowell,	28 75
“ “ “ Mary Simmons,	74 50
“ “ “ H. Galvin,	2 00
“ “ “ C. Taylor,	42 50
“ “ transportation “	20 00
“ City of Charlestown, support of C. M. Saville,	87 75
“ “ “ J. N. Dexter,	97 00
“ J. Q. A. Field, milk to Mrs. Thayer,	5 52
“ “ cash to sundry poor,	8 00
“ G. H. Frost, coal to O'Hearn and Rowell,	33 00
“ O. C. Railway, tickets to travellers,	4 84
“ G. H. Frost, coal to Mrs. Ryan,	9 00
“ † “ “ J. Morrow,	6 00
“ “ “ Mrs. Mahan,	4 50
“ Thos. Faxon, support of Mrs. Newcomb,	52 00
“ Northampton Hospital, support of R. G. Cass,	189 02
“ Town of Grafton, support of O'Keefe family,	32 48
“ † W. M. French, conv'nee, C. Saville to asylum,	7 50
“ * “ “ E. Williams “	12 85
“ † “ “ R. Gardner “	9 90
“ “ refreshments to travellers,	19 34
“ Commonwealth of Mass., support C. Hussy,	13 00
“ “ “ Jas. Cullen,	186 50
“ “ “ D. Manny,	41 50
“ D. H. Bills, fuel to Mrs. Lennon,	} 17 26
“ “ “ “ Burke,	
“ “ “ “ Galvin,	

Amount carried forward,

\$5,627 65

* Refunded.

† To be refunded.

Poor out of Almshouse, continued.

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>				\$5,627 65
Paid D. H. Bills, fuel to Mrs. Wood,				4 88
" " " " Clark,				4 88
" " " " Callihan,				9 76
" " " " McCarty,				3 00
" " " " Webber,				9 76
" " " " Clark,				4 88
" " " " Dailey,				4 88
" * Owen Adams," " Little,				9 50
" " " " Burke,				12 63
" " " " Forbes,				4 88
" " " " Manning,				4 88
				<hr/> \$5,701 58

* Refunded.

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By Cash received from State treasurer, account		
J. Wells,	\$57 67	
" Cash received from State treasurer, account		
D. Falvey, 1871 and 1872,	42 00	
" Cash received from town of Harvard, account		
W. Turner,	295 75	
" Cash received from town of Weymouth, acc't		
M. Wall, 1871,	3 00	
" Cash received from town of Braintree, account		
L. Thayer, 1871,	86 24	
" Cash received from Mary O'Hearn,	246 95	
" " " Mrs. Little,	9 50	
" " " Ellen Williams, transportation to Taunton,	12 85	
" Cash due as per selectmen's account, Feb.		
1, 1873,	359 55	
		<hr/> 1,113 51
Total cost of poor out of almshouse, year ending		\$4,588 07
Feb. 1, 1873,		

REPAIRS ON TOWN BUILDINGS.

HIGH SCHOOL HOUSE.

Paid Chas. H. Pray, stock and labor,	\$13 89	
“ A. M. Litchfield, repairing fence,	16 54	
	<hr/>	\$30 43

ADAMS SCHOOL HOUSE.

Paid Chas H. Pray, stock and labor,	\$22 51	
“ T. E. Fernald & Co., stock and labor,	12 50	
“ A. M. Litchfield, “	97 53	
“ W. H. French, plastering,	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$134 54

CODDINGTON SCHOOL HOUSE.

Paid Peter B. Turner, stock and labor,	\$65 20	
“ Chas. H. Pray, “	16 76	
“ J. W. Hersey, setting glass,	2 50	
	<hr/>	\$84 46

WASHINGTON SCHOOL HOUSE.

Paid Whitney & Nash, glass,	\$2 20	
“ G. Clements, stock and labor,	30 77	
“ John Harmon, labor,	18 50	
	<hr/>	\$51 47

WILLARD SCHOOL HOUSE.

Paid Jonas Shackley, stock and labor,	\$215 54	
“ F. W. Lombard, rebuilding chimney,	29 90	
“ Badger Bros., stock and labor,	27 21	
“ M. McKendrick, “	45 50	
“ D. W. Perry, repairing well cover,	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$319 15
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		<hr/> \$620 05

Repairs on Town Buildings, continued.

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$620 05
QUINCY SCHOOL HOUSE.		
Paid J. M. Glover, stock and labor,	\$17 36	
“ P. K. Gay, repairing lightning-rods,	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$21 36
CRANE SCHOOL HOUSE.		
Paid F. W. French, stock and labor,		16 00
TOWN HOUSE.		
Paid Peter B. Turner, stock and labor,	\$93 69	
“ D. F. French, “	24 60	
“ Harvey French, “	253 58	
“ T. E. Fernald & Co., “	24 93	
	<hr/>	396 80
ENGINE HOUSES.		
Paid sundry persons,		193 17
Total amount paid for repairing town buildings,		<hr/> \$1,247 38

TOWN OFFICERS.

SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS, AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

Paid J. W. Robertson, 1872, $233\frac{1}{3}$ days,	\$700 00	
“ W. A. Hodges, “ 275 “	825 00	
“ J. Q. A. Field, “ $241\frac{2}{3}$ “	725 00	
“ Geo. H. Locke, services,	68 00	
“ Chas. N. Ditson, “ 24 “	72 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,390 00

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Paid J. Q. Adams,	\$100 00	
“ Asa Wellington,	120 00	
“ Henry Lunt,	100 00	
“ Wm. B. Duggan, 1871,	125 00	
“ H. Farnum Smith,	100 00	
“ C. L. Badger,	83 37	
“ Noah Cummings,	20 00	
	<hr/>	648 37
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		<hr/> \$3,038 37

Town Officers, continued.

Amount brought forward, \$3,038 37

TOWN CLERK.

Paid Geo. L. Gill, — 50 00

TOWN TREASURER.

Paid W. Abercrombie, 1871, — 125 00

SURVEYOR OF HIGHWAYS.

Paid H. B. Ellis, — 666 00

TAX COLLECTOR.

Paid Geo. H. Locke, 2 $\frac{7}{8}$ mills, \$84,191.23, \$242 04

CONSTABLES AND POLICE OFFICERS.

Paid F. H. French,	services,	\$16 00
" M. W. Gerry,	"	16 00
" Eliab Ramsdell,	" 1871 and '72,	12 00
" H. Feltis,	"	6 00
" Geo. B. Pray,	"	18 00
" F. H. Hardwick,	"	8 00
" Geo. L. Odiorne,	"	18 00
" C. H. Curtis,	"	6 00
" F. A. Lane,	"	6 00
" E. A. Spear,	"	3 00
" Jonas Shackley,	"	3 00
" Chas. E. French,	"	3 00
" Josiah Randlett,	"	6 00
" Jefferson Morrill,	"	3 00
" Joseph T. French,	"	15 50
" Geo. Cahill,	"	3 00
" Wm. Parker,	"	6 00
		<hr/> 148 50

. Total amount paid for town officers, \$4,269 91

TOWN HOUSE.

Jacob Flint, Superintendent.

Paid D. F. French, care of rooms,	\$128 60	
“ Jacob Flint, “ “	84 70	
“ Citizens’ Gas Light Co., gas,	517 50	
“ Owen Adams, coal,	102 75	
“ W. B. Ryan, labor on water pipe,	17 60	
“ Gardner Chilson, caldron,	3 50	
“ Frank Flint, cleaning cellar,	10 00	
“ C. F. & J. W. Pierce, stock and labor,	41 40	
“ J. H. Veazie, alcohol,	1 00	
“ N. Gay, coal,	7 50	
“ Whitney & Nash, sundries,	11 13	
	<hr/>	\$925 68

CONTRA, CR.

Received for use of hall,	\$681 50	
“ “ “ rooms,	225 00	
Balance,	19 18	
	<hr/>	\$925 68

STREET LAMPS.

Wm. A. Hodges, Superintendent.

Paid Citizens’ Gas Light Co., gas and lighting to Jan. 1, 1873,	\$1,888 04	
“ Stedman Williams, oil and lighting,	32 00	
“ James H. Kenney, “ “	32 00	
“ Michael Devlin, “ “	16 00	
“ John McGowan, “ “	20 00	
“ John B. Bass, “ “	16 00	
“ G. W. Brooks, care of lights,	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,008 04

STATE AID.

Due from State, Feb. 1, 1872,		\$6,000 00
Paid Feb. 26, 1872,	\$334 75	
“ Mar. 25, “	349 75	
“ Apr. 29, “	304 25	
“ May 27, “	359 75	
“ June 24, “	280 75	
“ July 29, “	367 25	
“ Aug. 26, “	317 25	
“ Sept. 30, “	266 50	
“ Oct. 28, “	272 00	
“ Nov. 25, “	297 00	
“ Dec. 31, “	299 50	
“ Jan. 27, 1873,	251 50	
Due from State for the year ending Feb. 1, 1873,	<u> </u>	3,700 25
		<u>\$9,700 25</u>

CONTRA, CR.

By cash received from State Treas.,	\$4,000 00	
Balance due Feb. 1, 1873,	5,700 25	
	<u> </u>	\$9,700 25

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Paid Henry Barker, Treas., appropriation,		\$2,500 00
“ “ “ “	\$258 79	
“ “ “ “ sundries,	368 94	
“ “ “ “ lamp,	12 00	
	<u> </u>	639 73
		<u>\$3,139 73</u>

NEPONSET BRIDGE.

	DR.	
Plank on hand Feb. 1, 1872,	250 00	
Paid E. Ramsdell, stock and labor,	1,076 81	
“ “ “ painting signs,	4 80	
	<u> </u>	\$1,331 61
	CR.	
By plank on hand,		350 00
Expense of bridge year ending Feb. 1, 1873,		<u>\$981 61</u>

HINGHAM AND QUINCY BRIDGES.

Paid James Humphrey,	\$375 00	
“ Asa French, expense of commissioners,	343 34	
	<hr/>	\$718 34

MILITIA.

Paid Thos. A. Whicher, rent of armory,	\$300 00	
“ Co. H, 3d Reg't, military services,	436 00	
“ Capt. Wm. Boyd, pay roll,	65 00	
	<hr/>	\$801 00

CONTRA, CR.

By amount from State Treas. militia bounty,	\$501 00	
By amount from State Treas. armory, 1871 and '72,	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$801 00

TAXES.

George H. Locke, Collector.

DR.

To Town tax,	\$68,800 00	
“ State tax,	7,060 00	
“ County tax,	4,805 17	
“ Non-resident bank tax,	143 62	
“ Additional tax,	521 52	
“ Overlayings,	2,860 92	
	<hr/>	\$84,191 23

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By cash paid town treasurer (discount, \$2,677 33, abatment, \$2,277 61),	\$84,191 23
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NEW LOCK-UP.

Washington M. French, Superintendent.

Paid Luke Rideout, stock and labor,	\$151 75	
“ W. H. French, “	403 20	
“ Peter B. Turner, “	214 04	
“ L. M. Ham, doors, bedsteads, and locks,	200 00	
“ J. W. Hersey, painting and glazing,	32 00	
“ T. E. Fernald & Co., chairs, pails, &c.,	95 92	
“ C. W. & F. Smith, iron fence,	64 25	
“ Citizens’ Gas Light Co., gas,	12 42	
“ John Shea, express,	7 00	
“ C. F. & J. W. Pierce, stove, &c.,	55 94	
“ G. S. Coffin, keys and bolts,	10 83	
“ Horace Feltis, labor,	7 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,254 35
	CR.	
By cash, sundry persons,	\$45 50	
“ balance,	1,208 85	
	<hr/>	\$1,254 35

Lodgings furnished to 198 travellers during the year.

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Paid Luther Briggs, plans, specifications, &c.,	\$80 00	
“ W. H. French, labor at armory,	6 00	
“ J. J. Dasha, setting glass,	1 25	
“ J. Q. A. Field, due as per report Feb. 1, ’72,	283 80	
“ F. L. Nott, lights for small-pox,	5 00	
“ Post-office box and stamps,	4 00	
“ Rockwell & Churchill, printing reports,	505 00	
“ C. N. Ditson, flannel for small-pox flags,	1 25	
“ E. S. Fellows, and. services,	78 00	
“ Sampson’s Express, charges on reports,	1 90	
“ E. B. Souther, stationery,	31 53	
“ John Shea, expressing,	6 20	
	<hr/>	\$1,003 93
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		

Miscellaneous Expenses, continued.

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$1,003 93
Paid J. A. McLellan, stationery,	1 07
“ W. M. French, summons, E. W. Underwood,	25 50
“ “ “ “ service, “ “ “	7 50
“ J. Q. Adams, prof. services, “ “ “	54 40
“ A. M. Litchfield, building fence, Granite Pl.,	32 76
“ C. K. Darling, books and stationery,	24 00
“ P. K. Gay, repairing lightning-rods,	5 00
“ Underwood & Maxim, watching with Myers,	5 00
“ Paul Revere Post, No. 88, decorating soldiers’ graves,	225 00
“ H. Farnum Smith, professional services, Squantum Bridge,	50 00
“ William Faxon, killing goat,	3 00
“ John Hall, repairs on bell,	11 00
“ “ “ ringing bell,	52 00
“ “ “ recording deaths, &c.,	15 40
“ Cutter, Tower, & Co., cash book,	4 25
“ H. Farnum, lantern and oil, small-pox,	1 68
“ Town of Braintree, taxes 1872,	13 28
“ Josiah Adams, repairing pumps,	17 37
“ “ “ sealing weights and measures,	15 00
“ Mrs. E. Green, printing and advertising,	245 95
“ Citizens’ Gas Light Co., lamp-post for police station,	46 75
“ *Citizens Gas Light Co., “ “ “	44 00
“ C. F. & J. W. Pierce, stock and labor, town hall,	17 29
“ C. F. & J. W. Pierce, lantern, &c., for small-pox hospital,	12 45
“ Granger & Hobart, survey, South Quincy,	40 00
“ “ “ “ staking out Newport Ave.,	25 00
“ Whitman & Breck, surveys,	20 00
“ G. Totman & Son, refreshments at fire,	6 08

Amount carried forward,

\$2,024 66

* To be refunded.

Miscellaneous Expenses, continued.

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$2,024 66
Paid W. A. Hodges, railroad tickets and express charges,	17 00
“ Maurice Sheahan, wedges,	2 00
“ J. Q. Adams, professional services,	30 00
“ Whitney & Nash, sundries,	2 93
“ S. F. Allen, expenses county commissioners,	6 00
“ Fire department, filling reservoirs,	80 00
“ P. B. Turner, locks and keys,	3 50
“ W. M. French, use of horse to fire,	2 00
“ “ “ “ “ and wagon,	2 00
“ “ “ “ care of lock-up,	75 00
“ “ “ “ services sundry times,	65 00
“ Keating & Spear, repairing door,	2 00
“ Jonas Shackley, oil and lamps, small-pox,	1 20
“ T. E. Fernald & Co., keys, &c.,	1 40
“ “ “ “ “ care of town clock,	48 00
“ J. O. Holden, care of town clock,	18 75
“ Geo. H. Locke, books and postage,	18 62
“ J. Q. A. Field, carting for small-pox hospital,	4 00
“ “ “ “ “ postage,	5 04
“ “ “ “ “ railroad tickets and travelling expenses,	17 17
“ J. Q. A. Field, use of horse and wagon,	85 00
“ J. W. Robertson, “ “ “ “	100 00
“ “ “ “ travelling expenses,	5 00
“ Geo. L. Gill, recording births, deaths, &c.,	133 20
“ “ “ “ stationery,	15 00
“ Bowditch & Co., express charges,	2 10
“ J. A. Wood, rent land, Tiger Engine Co.,	25 00
“ James S. Baxter, land damages, widening Pleasant Street,	30 00
“ George L. Baxter, land damages, widening Pleasant Street,	40 00
Total amount paid for miscellaneous expenses,	<hr/> \$2,861 57

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Horace B. Spear, Treasurer.

DR.

To cash in treasury, Feb. 1, 1872,	\$7,820 51
“ received in notes payable,	71,582 30
“ “ of George H. Locke, collector, for tax 1872 in full,	84,191 23
“ “ for cow sold from almshous ,	50 00
“ “ “ old hose sold,	28 35
“ “ “ old plank sold from Neponset Bridge,	20 00
“ “ “ pump and door sold,	4 00
“ “ “ books sold by E. B. Souther,	34 20
“ “ “ gravel and loam sold,	6 35
“ “ “ lots sold in cemetery,	820 00
“ “ “ labor on lots in cemetery,	53 20
“ “ of Wm. Hobart, rent of land,	1 00
“ “ “ Thomas H. Hayes, rent of land,	20 00
“ “ income from town hall,	681 50
“ “ “ “ lock-up,	45 50
“ “ rent of rooms in town house,	225 00
“ “ State treasurer, income school fund,	345 40
“ “ “ corporation tax,	163 64
“ “ “ “	3,105 59
“ “ “ rent of armory,	300 00
“ “ “ account State Aid,	4,000 00
“ “ “ militia bounty,	501 00
“ “ “ interest on State tax,	87 07
“ “ “ support of J. Wells,	36 00
“ “ “ support of D. Falvey,	42 00
“ “ county treasurer, interest on county tax,	56 81
“ “ “ dog licenses,	624 19
“ “ for circus licenses,	100 00
“ “ “ conveying Ellen Williams to Taunton,	12 85
“ “ “ support of Mary O'Hearn,	246 95
“ “ “ support of Jacob Wells,	21 67
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	<hr/> \$175,226 31

Treasurer's Report, continued.

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$175,226 31
To received for support of Margaret Wall,	3 00
“ “ “ coal to Mrs. Little,	9 50
“ “ of town of Braintree, support Mrs. Lucius Thayer,	86 24
“ “ “ town of Braintree, for refreshments at fire,	20 00
“ “ “ town of Harvard, support Washburn Turner,	295 75
“ “ “ sundries from almshouse,	151 41
“ “ “ board of S. P. Hardwick,	56 00
	<hr/> \$175,848 21

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By notes payable, sundry persons,	\$60,539 90
“ interest, sundry persons,	6,670 14
“ town orders,	89,027 27
“ State treasurer, bank tax,	5 89
“ “ State tax,	7,060 00
“ “ bank tax of non-resident stockholders,	135 02
“ county treasurer, county tax,	4,805 17
“ H. Barker, treas. public library, dog licenses for 1872,	624 19
“ balance in treasury,	6,980 63
	<hr/> \$175,848 21

STATEMENT OF TOWN DEBT.

NOTES PAYABLE.

State of Massachusetts, due Dec. 9, 1873,	\$5,000 00
“ “ “ 1878,	5,000 00
“ “ “ 1883,	5,000 00
“ “ “ 1888,	5,000 00
“ “ Jan 1, 1889,	10,000 00
“ “ Nov. 1, 1881,	20,000 00
Sarah B. Morton, demand,	700 00
Mary H. W. Thompson, demand,	1,000 00
Josiah Nightingale, demand, 2 notes,	10,530 00
Maria D. Mann, “	1,000 00
Isaac J. Fenno, “	1,000 00
Interest accrued on the above,	942 44
Caroline A. Spear, demand,	1,500 00
Susanna Marsh, “	2,600 00
Judith Spear, “	1,807 81
Joseph W. Robertson, “	8,000 00
Woodward Fund, “	20,774 49
	<hr/> \$99,854 74

CONTRA, CR.

Cash in the treasury,	\$6,980 63
Due for rent of Rock Island,	20 00
“ as per selectmen's statement,	6,207 55
“ from E. W. Underwood as per statement,	397 62
“ for hay and produce, Feb. 1, 1872,	31 89
Plank on hand at Neponset Bridge,	350 00
	<hr/> \$13,987 69
Amount of town debt Feb. 1, 1873,	\$85,867 05
“ “ “ 1872,	71,500 66
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Increase for the year,	\$14,366 39

SELECTMEN'S ACCOUNT.

Orders drawn on the treasurer during the year ending

Feb. 1, 1873, as follows:—

\$89,027 27

Schools, teaching and fuel,	\$18,976 72
“ incidentals,	5,558 73
School-houses, North District,	3,600 08
“ Willard enlargement,	4,192 54
Highways, repairs of	12,337 21
“ new streets,	4,458 30
Fire department,	2,295 44
Cemeteries,	1,624 38
Almshouse,	3,319 49
“ poor out of,	5,701 58
Town buildings, repairs of,	1,247 38
“ officers,	4,269 91
“ house,	925 68
Street lamps,	2,008 04
State aid,	3,700 25
Public library,	3,139 73
Neponset Bridge,	1,081 61
Hingham and Quincy Bridges,	718 34
Militia,	801 00
Discount and abatement,	4,954 94
New lock-up,	1,254 35
Miscellaneous expenses,	2,861 57
	<hr/> \$89,027 27

STATEMENT.

THE SELECTMEN IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF QUINCY, DR.

To cash paid State of Massachusetts, burial of

H. F. Lakner,	\$18 00
“ “ town of Harvard, board W. Turner,	49 75
“ “ city of Salem, board Rob't Gardner,	38 40
“ “ “ “ Boston, burial of Jas. Barrett,	18 00

Amount carried forward,

\$124 15

Statement of Selectmen, continued.

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$124 15	
To cash paid	City of Cambridge, burial of J. Morrow,	104 70	
"	" Catharine P. Savil, board at Taunton,	130 70	
			\$359 55
"	" Niagara Engine Co., badges,	41 25	
"	" Granite " " "	62 50	
"	" Citizens' Gas Light Co., error,	44 00	
"	" State of Massachusetts, State aid, to Feb. 1, 1872,	2,000 00	
"	" State of Massachusetts, with State aid, to Feb. 1, 1873,	3,700 25	
			5,848 00
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			\$6,207 55

QUINCY, Feb. 1, 1873.

STATEMENT.

E. W. UNDERWOOD TO TOWN OF QUINCY, DR.

To cash received from overseers of poor of Boston,			
	for supplies to E. W. Keene,	\$15 50	
"	" " to Sarah Webber,	15 00	
"	from county of Norfolk, rent,	47 00	
"	" James Humphrey, Hingham & Quincy Bridge,	73 13	
"	from J. T. French, for settees,	138 86	
"	" circus licenses,	50 00	
"	" State aid, F. Hewitts,	6 00	
"	" Marblehead, board K. P. Bray,	28 75	
Hay from almshouse,		23 38	
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			\$397 62

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1872.

Schools,	\$21,000 00
" incidentals,	4,500 00
Support of poor,	4,500 00
Repairs of town buildings,	1,000 00
Town officers,	3,000 00
Discount and abatement,	3,500 00
Miscellaneous expenses,	2,000 00
Bridges,	2,000 00
Cemeteries,	1,000 00
Street lights,	2,000 00
Fire department,	2,500 00
Public library,	2,500 00
Newcomb Street,	300 00
Edwards " "	50 00
Interest town debt,	5,000 00
Decoration soldiers' graves,	250 00
Widening Common Street,	150 00
New street, Copeland to Cross,	800 00
Repairs on highways,	11,000 00
New lock-up,	1,250 00
Land at Wollaston and Atlantic for two school-	
houses,	4,000 00
Willard school-house, enlargement,	10,000 00
	<hr/> \$82,300 00

ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES FOR THE ENSUING YEAR,

PREPARED BY THE SELECTMEN.

Support of poor,	\$5,000 00
Repairs of town buildings,	1,500 00
Town officers,	4,000 00
Discount and abatement taxes,	4,000 00
Interest on town debt,	6,000 00
Miscellaneous expenses,	3,000 0
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$23,500 00

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$23,500 00
Bridges,	2,000 00
Cemeteries,	1,000 00
Highways, repairs of,	7,000 00
Street lights,	2,000 00
Fire department,	4,000 00
Newport Avenue,	6,500 00
Balance appropriation, new streets,	1,250 00
Balance, enlargement Willard School,	6,000 00
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	\$53,250 00

APPENDIX.

REGISTRY

OF

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS

IN 1872.

IN the publication of the registration of this town, it is thought to be sufficient to give simply the dates and names of the births, the dates, names, and residences of the marriages, and the dates, names, and ages of the deaths, omitting all the other items required by law, and which are made a part of the complete registration; the same being of value as matters of permanent record only, but not essential to the purpose of this Report, which is made, in part, to afford opportunity for the supply of any omissions, or the correction of any errors, which may appear; and the undersigned will be under obligations for any information respecting the same.

GEORGE L. GILL, *Town Clerk.*

BIRTHS IN 1872.

Jan. 1. Mary Ellen Cuen.	Feb. 5. Mary A. Kimball.
" 1. Charles J. Newcomb.	" 8. Elizabeth Shea.
" 6. Sarah E. Clement.	" 14. David L. Whittemore.
" 9. Thomas H. Durgin.	" 15. John F. Forrest.
" 14. Eliza Ann Brackett.	" 15. John Sullivan.
" 14. Ida May Thayer.	" 17. Dennis Sullivan.
" 15. Frank J. Garbareno.	" 18. John R. Spellman.
" 15. John W. Tanner.	" 22. Grace Wollaston Emery.
" 18. Mary Foley.	" 22. George W. Wills.
" 20. Abbie Edwards.	" 28. Michael Scully.
" 20. Fred. M. Reed.	" 28. Franklin P. Kennison.
" 27. Hattie W. Stewart.	Mar. 5. William P. Meaney.
" 27. Mabel Howland.	" 7. Elizabeth Gearin.
" 30. Lizzie F. Glover.	" 8. James F. Little.
" 30. George E. Morrissey.	" 9. Robert Brooks Graham.
Feb. 1. Anastatia Connor.	" 15. Joseph White.
" 3. Edith V. Perry.	" 16. Martha Jane Hanson.
" 4. Charles Henry Horne.	" 17. Mary Lizzie Gove.

Mar. 19. Charles Allen Gragg.

" 20. Elizabeth A. Trainer.

" 24. Alice Greenough.

" 25. Mary L. Stoddard.

" 26. Catharine Drohen.

" 30. Ida May Hosie.

" 30. Charles F. McGrath.

Apr. 1. Joseph Warren Shackley.

" 2. Eugenie Reddy.

" 3. Mary G. Price.

" 4. ——— Stearns.

" 5. Grace Green Bigelow.

" 7. Edward J. Fegan.

" 8. John H. Noble.

" 12. Maggie McVarish.

" 12. Fred P. Hill.

" 18. Ida I. Cameron.

" 22. Daniel O'Connell.

" 23. Gertrude P. Osborne.

" 24. Alice H. Sylvester.

" 28. Addie M. Bates.

" 30. Edmund Hayden.

May 2. William S. M. Rideout.

" 4. George Cahill.

" 4. Warren T. Martin.

" 5. Harry W. Loud.

" 6. Juliana Ford.

" 15. Martin Brennan.

" 17. Henry Miner.

" 19. Stephen Maguire.

" 20. Carrie E. Parrott.

" 25. Mary Cahill.

" 25. Eugene Cunningham.

" 31. Thomas Small.

June 4. Eva M. Spear.

" 9. John Young.

" 9. Charlotte Scott.

" 10. Kate Corcoran.

" 10. John Smith.

" 12. Emma M. Evans.

June 13. Elizabeth Griffiths.

" 14. Mary J. Clare.

" 15. ——— White.

" 15. Simpson Carter.

" 15. Lizzie McGowan.

" 17. George S. Keyes, jun.

" 18. Hugh Martin.

" 18. Isaac N. Miller.

" 19. Ellen Horan.

" 21. Robert R. Wiley.

" 21. William P. Kelly.

" 23. Richard Powers.

" 25. Henry Talbot, jun.

" 27. Gracie Newcomb.

" 30. Bernard Smith.

July 2. Arthur C. Hobart.

" 5. Robert A. Gordon.

" 7. William Arthur Todd.

" 8. Mary E. Mahoney.

" 8. Thomas A. Haley.

" 9. Veronica McGowan.

" 9. Agnes McGowan.

" 12. Ellen Carew.

" 12. John Shea.

" 12. James F. Dolan.

" 15. Dolly Ann Baxter.

" 15. Thomas J. Gibbs.

" 18. Alice O'Brien.

" 20. Mary E. Mahoney.

" 26. Randall T. Capen.

" 27. Charles R. Stearns.

" 27. John Greelish.

" 29. ——— Edwards.

" 31. Annie M. Fihely.

Aug. 2. Herbert H. Locke.

" 2. Myra V. Bryant.

" 3. Lillie Miner.

" 8. Mary F. Farrell.

" 9. ——— Flavier.

" 10. Stephen Maloney.

- Aug. 12. Mary M. Pendis.
 " 13. Isabel Taze.
 " 15. Thomas F. Veazie.
 " 21. Bertha S. Newcomb.
 " 21. Eva May Prouty.
 " 24. William McDonnell.
 " 25. Josie Etta Dell.
 " 26. Maggie K. Caldwell.
 " 29. Walter E. Boyce.
 " 30. Ann McCormick.
 Sept. 2. Charles H. Farrell.
 " 3. Patrick Hayes.
 " 9. Willie Edward Fuller.
 " 14. Alexander G. Luzarder.
 " 14. Lucy Packard Eaton.
 " 15. William Garrity.
 " 15. Alice M. Chase.
 " 18. John W. Collett.
 " 20. John M. Denneen.
 " 20. John Connell.
 " 21. ——— Miller.
 " 23. James Edward Keegan.
 " 27. Laura F. Eldridge.
 " 30. James M. Barnes.
 " 30. Eliza M. Ellis.
 Oct. 1. Ellen Cole.
 " 3. Charles Strong.
 " 3. Mary Cary.
 " 6. Nancy J. Parrott.
 " 6. Mary D. Grenville.
 " 8. Mabelle S. Wright.
 " 9. Timothy J. Brucenehen.
 " 10. Jesse Bunton Baxter.
 " 18. Frances E. Chase.
 " 24. Michael Hayes.
 " 24. Thomas Hayes.
 " 24. ——— Remick.
 " 24. Albert Flowers.
 " 25. Catharine Faircloth.
 " 27. ——— Lapham.
 Oct. 27. Edward F. Southworth.
 " 28. Edward P. Connor.
 " 30. Joseph W. Hayden, jun.
 " 30. George H. Brown.
 Nov. 1. Harry O. Parker.
 " 1. Rachel Brown.
 " 2. Margaret Walsh.
 " 3. Eleanor Maybery.
 " 3. Nettie J. Fish.
 " 4. Alice Gavin.
 " 5. Richard F. Callahan.
 " 6. George Flagg.
 " 10. Alonzo Curtis Blood.
 " 10. Israel Mitchell.
 " 11. Mary Sullivan.
 " 15. ——— Dailey.
 " 16. Thompson B. Crane.
 " 19. ——— Keene.
 " 24. James A. Sweeney.
 " 24. Joseph Edward Johnson.
 " 25. George C. Moody.
 " 27. Mary A. Murphy.
 " 30. Mary Tracy.
 Dec. 1. Maggie Gorman.
 " 3. ——— Foster.
 " 5. Eugene Ford.
 " 5. ——— Jordan.
 " 6. Isabel C. Thomas.
 " 16. Mary A. Noble.
 " 17. Mary F. Mason.
 " 17. Fanny Sylvester.
 " 17. Frank Goodwin.
 " 20. Mary Allman.
 " 24. Annie A. Hill.
 " 24. Edwin A. Hill.
 " 26. Katy Neal.
 " 27. ——— Perry.
 " 29. Andrew P. Keefe.
 " 30. ——— Vogel.
 " 31. Henry O'Brien.

Whole number of births registered.....195

Males.....	106
Females.....	89
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	195

	Males.	Females.	Total.
January.....	6	9	15
February.....	9	5	14
March.....	6	7	13
April.....	6	9	15
May.....	9	3	12
June.....	12	9	21
July.....	11	8	19
August.....	5	11	16
September.....	11	4	15
October.....	12	7	19
November.....	10	9	19
December.....	9	8	17
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	106	89	195

REGISTRY OF MARRIAGES IN 1872.

Date.	Name.	Birthplace.
Jan. 24.	Horace M. Scribner, Jennie D. Crabtree,	North Attleborough. Quincy.
Feb. 1.	Charles Dailey, Margaret Doyle,	Boston. Quincy.
" 5.	Jeremiah O'Leary, Mary A. Scanlan,	" "
" 11.	George H. Mitchell, A. Gertrude White,	" "
" 21.	Henry J. Jones, Elizabeth Roberts,	Boston. "
March 4.	Frank C. Litchfield, Isabel R. Wood,	Quincy. Worcester.
" 24.	E. Charles Diffin, Caroline F. Brown,	Gladwin, Mich. Quincy.
Apr. 4.	Edward Richardson, Cylender Z. Denton,	" "
" 7.	Loring N. Shaw, Emily A. Newcomb,	" "
" 16.	William H. Faxon, Isadore L. Colburn,	" "
" 17.	William L. Mason, Annie M. Bigelow,	" "
" 19.	John S. Cleverly, Cynthia C. Jaynes,	" "
May 1.	Francis W. Perry, Hattie E. Holbrook,	" Randolph.

Date.	Name.	Birthplace.
May 26.	John G. Ryan, Elizabeth Kelly,	Quincy. “
“ 26.	William Watson, Ida T. Harmon,	Charlestown. “
“ 28.	Herman Hewitt, Mary O. Copeland,	North Bridgewater. Quincy.
“ 30.	DeForest B. Dodge, Eva G. Bailey,	“ Bridgeport, Conn.
June 1.	Cornelius Shea, Margaret Sullivan,	Springfield. Quincy.
“ 2.	Jeremiah Corcoran, Hannah E. Ford,	“ “
“ 6.	Henry Cunningham, Alice M. Houston,	“ Haverhill.
“ 8.	Edmund Brown, Hannah Shea,	Gardner. Quincy.
“ 9.	Francis Strong, Susan D. Orcutt,	“ “
“ 12.	Daniel Sullivan, Mary Cronin,	“ “
“ 13.	Isaac T. Hall, Amelia G. Meache,	“ “
“ 13.	Walter C. Holbrook, Mary L. Dowse,	Weymouth. Quincy.
“ 15.	Frank C. Badger, Dora Nourse,	“ Hudson.
“ 18.	James Lappen, Mary E. Eagan,	Worcester. Quincy.
“ 27.	John P. Jones, Dora T. Gould,	Abington. “

Date.	Name.	Birthplace.
July 21.	William C. Baker, Emma F. Feltis,	Quincy. “
“ 30.	Elijah G. Hall, Mary L. Pope,	Boston. Quincy.
Aug. 12.	William H. Hill, Rozina I. Hayford,	“ Milford.
“ 15.	Peter Gallagher, Kate Igo.	Quincy. “
“ 17.	Melvin C. Sanborn, Martha Daniels,	“ “
“ 18.	Winslow P. Johnson, Lydia F. Hunt,	“ Duxbury.
“ 22.	George Goodfellow, Mary J. Garrity,	Boston. Quincy.
“ 29.	John Gordon, Penuel Stewart,	“ “
Sept. 4.	Edward F. Jarvis, Mary S. Bosworth,	“ “
“ 8.	Alonzo K. P. Blood, Mary E. Curtis,	“ “
“ 8.	Michael B. Greaney, Mary Murphy,	“ “
“ 8.	James Garrity, Margaret Garrity,	Boston. Quincy.
“ 13.	John Gill, Ann Alford,	“ “
“ 17.	John Sullivan, Hannah Lane,	“ “
“ 29.	Charles F. Kimball, Eliza E. Gorman,	“ “

Date.	Name.	Birthplace.
Oct. 7.	Harvey M. Phelps, Emma T. Dumphy,	Quincy. Bridgewater.
" 12.	Charles M. Bearce, Henrietta F. Willis,	Abington. "
" 13.	Danford W. Arnold, Angeline Wrisley.	Quincy. "
" 15.	William Manders, Mary E. Ryan,	Clarke's Isl., Me. Quincy.
" 15.	Charles B. Knapp, Sadie H. Shaw,	" "
" 19.	Swan Muller, Mary C. Anderson,	" "
" 20.	Louis M. Coburn, Carrie E. Jones,	" "
" 21.	James Quinn, Sarah White,	" "
" 24.	William W. Brown, Lizzie M. Page,	" "
" 28.	Amber M. Cleverly, Eliza A. Parrott,	" "
" 28.	John S. Farrell, Lizzie M. Baker.	Quincy. "
" 31.	Hugh H. Cameron, Elizabeth Cameron,	" Nova Scotia.
Nov. 5.	William Boyd, Ellen F. Moriarty,	" "
" 12.	John Neagle, Catharine Sullivan,	" Boston.
" 17.	John H. Tucker, Sarah R. Monk,	Quincy. "

Date.	Name.	Birthplace.
Nov. 23.	Dennis B. Munsey, Margaret E. Wright,	Boston. Quincy.
" 24.	Thomas Connor, Mary Keliher,	" "
" 26.	Adam Curtis, 3d, Louise K. Duffield,	" Boston.
" 28.	Charles H. S. Newcomb, Henrietta K. Baxter,	Quincy. "
" 28.	Michael W. Gerry, Annie M. Fitzpatrick,	" Boston.
Dec. 14.	Leslie R. Danforth, Maggie Black,	Quincy. "
" 18.	Edward Hardwick, Flora A. Burrell,	" "
" 19.	William M. Bird, Lizzie F. Baker,	" "
" 22.	George F. Choate, Frances Allen,	" "
" 25.	Frederick Meagher, Harriet Drysdale,	Norton. "
" 25.	Albert H. Deally, Georgiana Bent,	Quincy. "

Total 69

January.....	1
February.....	4
March.....	2
April.....	5
May.....	5
June.....	11
July.....	2
August.....	6
September.....	7
October.....	12
November.....	8
December.....	6

Total, 69

REGISTRY OF DEATHS IN 1872.

<i>Date.</i>	<i>Name.</i>	<i>Age.</i>		
		Years.	Months.	Days.
January	12 Mary P. Butters	24	4	
	17 ——— Kennedy			0
	22 David Leahey	40		
	22 George S. Phillips, jun.	1	5	9
	25 Eveline D. French	67	8	
February	31 Margaret McGrath	70		
	1 ——— Barry			0
	7 Elizabeth Wendell		8	9
	11 Charles Hardwick	74		7
	11 Daniel G. Ingraham	43		
March	18 Charles P. Smith	44	11	
	24 Oliver Holman	59	7	21
	25 Mary Bird	61	8	3
	27 Eli Hayden	63	7	
	27 Edward Brackett	52	7	
	29 Patrick Moynihan	32		
	1 Louisa S. Faxon	53		
	9 Mary Savil	80	8	
	10 Maria Rideout	59	4	
	10 James Hanna	49	4	
April	10 Richard F. Berry	21	6	
	14 Mary A. Arnold	73		
	15 Mary E. Alpaugh	52	6	
	15 Charles F. Hobart	37	4	
	21 Henry F. Laker	53		
	22 Catharine P. Kettell	55	6	
	22 John T. Forrest		1	7
	23 ——— Studley			0
	23 George H. Pray	1	8	19
	26 Julia Smith	32		
May	27 Katie Berry	3		13
	28 Ellen Lockney	60		
	30 Alden French	67	2	20
	3 Margaret White	85		
	7 Martha Pierce	1		
	22 ——— Stearns			18
	26 Mary Brown	64	11	
	27 James Buckley	68	4	
	28 James A. Lycett	28	10	
	2 Henry A. Gracie	76		
June	4 Charlotte Rideout	61		
	5 Amasa Thayer	78	1	
	5 Charles Moses	72	3	
	5 Fannie Murphy	22		
	6 John Bunting	50	9	
	13 ——— Taylor			0
	18 Rachel Newcomb	60	8	6
	20 Mary Kenily	29		
	21 Margaret Walsh	7	5	
	23 Annie W. Wells	5	7	
	26 Michael Ryan	65		
	26 Mary Cahill			1
	28 Robert Evans	2	8	
	1 Ellen F. Adams	18	2	13
	4 Anna L. Morrison	4	9	
	4 Mary E. Willey	37	8	
	7 Lena F. Garbarena	1	11	
	8 Don Carlos Blake	70	5	
	8 Susanua A. Armstrong	70		

<i>Date.</i>		<i>Name.</i>	<i>Age.</i>		
			Years.	Months.	Days.
June	11	Mary J. Walsh		10	4
	11	Freddie C. Patterson		9	20
	14	John Whicher	76		
	19	Hezekiah Wilkins	76		25
	20	William Lavender	72		
	20	Benjamin Rowell	52		
	28	Orlando T. Hayden	23	11	4
	29	Patrick Hayes	30		
	30	Henry Talbot, jun.			5
		— Hartney			0
July	4	Amelia P. Bisson	2	3	
	8	Ida May Driscoll		10	9
	9	William Parker	83	3	
	11	Mary A. Swallow	49		2
	14	Violet Quincy	3	9	
	18	Rebecca Worcester	71		
	19	Mary Keating	49		
	21	Frances E. Savil	29	5	24
	23	Edward Connor	6	5	
	24	Lewis Nightingale	71		
	25	David Warren Chubbuck	1	7	4
	26	Ross Williams		6	
	27	Mary G. Sanville	1		
	29	Simon Tracy		11	13
August	1	Samuel F. Gui'd	48		
	3	Honora Holleran	1	5	
	5	Martin Smith	28	3	
	7	Walter S. Packard		8	7
	8	Mary Coughlin	45		
	9	Tryphena B. Beal	66		
	9	Mabel Deane	7	2	
	10	— Wesley			0
	10	Mary E. Crathorne		5	8
	13	Amy H. Thayer	2	7	25
	16	Ellen M. Stearns	41	11	
	17	Mary E. Mahoney		1	9
	21	James Southard	78		
	21	Elizabeth Griffiths		2	8
	22	Hannah D. Ellis	74	6	
	23	Sarah H. Potter	73	2	
	25	Mary J. Clare		2	11
	26	Ebenezer A. Shaw	10	4	3
	27	William McDonell			3
	28	Addie M. Bates		4	
	28	Mary E. King		11	23
September	30	Mary Garland	46		
	30	Lizzie F. Glover		7	
	30	James Barrett	54		
	4	Adoniram J. Thomas	37		
	4	— White		2	20
	7	Sarah M. Moore	54		
	13	Mary A. Kimball		7	8
	14	Jane Keefe	27		
	15	William Keliher	39		
	17	Elizabeth M. Fegan	19	7	27
October	17	George C. Drew		3	6
	24	John H. Noble		5	16
	26	Abigail C. Page	68		
		James E. Keegan			7
	1	Edward Fegan	55		
	2	John Coleman	75		
	6	Henrietta Hobart		8	4
	13	Isaac H. Wiley	54		
	16	Hiram B. Prior	32	11	
	18	— Chase			0
	18	Mary Ann Clare	26		
	19	Sarah W. Hayden	47	2	11

<i>Date.</i>		<i>Name.</i>	<i>Age.</i>		
			Years.	Months.	Days.
October	24	Charles Strong			21
	27	Elizabeth S. Robie	39	7	
	28	Alfred Whitcomb	1	11	
	29	Julia T. Moynihan	3	11	24
	30	Susan Nutting	64		18
	31	Edmund O. Horne	24	4	
November	3	Bridget O'Brien	62		
	3	Michael Walsh	9	6	
	5	Mary Gavin	48		
	7	Mary G. Bass	85		
	14	Susan A. Taylor	42		
	14	Hannah McKenna	36	6	
	14	John F. Conway	17	2	14
	15	John Dupont	82	2	
	19	Willie C. Corliss	5	4	
	21	James H. Gould	29	1	10
December	30	Christine Short	73		
	30	— Gibson			0
	1	Michael Murphy	72		
	1	Enoch Rideout	69	10	
	2	George H. Cook	29		14
	9	George C. Moody			14
	16	Anne E. Smith	28	8	
	21	Elizabeth Hayden	79	6	16
	26	Esther Hayden	86	1	

The following deaths are also registered, for reference, of persons who died while absent from this town, or were in some way connected here, and were interred here, and whose deaths are probably recorded and enumerated in the places where the death occurred.

<i>Date.</i>		<i>Name.</i>	<i>Age.</i>			<i>Place of Death.</i>
			Y.	M.	D.	
January	6	Ann Hall	88	9		Boston
February	11	William H. Packard	68			South Yarmouth
	25	Henrietta B. Richards				Boston
March	2	Charles H. White				Dix Island, Me.
May	2	Joseph Arey	54			Minneapolis, Minn.
	17	Charles H. Packard	23			New York
	20	Lydia Spear	90		14	Melrose
	26	Francis G. Faxon	46			Brookline
June	1	George B. Gibbons	52			New York
	10	John Wortland	38	4		Boston
	14	Clarissa Field	75	4	20	Charlestown
	24	Charles P. Derby	49	7		Hiram, Me.
	26	Horace C. Rogers	29	6	18	Acton, Mass.
	30	John Wills	32			Boston
August	21	Charles B. Adams	43	4	9	"
September	23	Walter J. Pope	25	2	4	"
December	13	Hannah Baxter	64	10		Melrose
	30	Abraham Rich	80	3		Weymouth

Whole number of deaths in Quincy in 1872, 151.

	<i>Males.</i>	<i>Females.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
January.....	2	4	6
February.....	7	3	10
March.....	8	9	17
April.....	2	4	6
May.....	6	8	14
June.....	9	6	15
July.....	7	8	15
August.....	7	17	24
September.....	5	5	10
October.....	8	7	15
November.....	6	6	12
December.....	4	3	7
	<u>71</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>151</u>

	<i>Number.</i>
Under 1 year of age.....	34
Between 1 and 10 years of age.....	21
" 10 " 20 ".....	4
" 20 " 30 ".....	14
" 30 " 40 ".....	11
" 40 " 50 ".....	13
" 50 " 60 ".....	14
" 60 " 70 ".....	14
" 70 " 80 ".....	20
" 80 " 90 ".....	6
Total.....	<u>151</u>

WOODWARD FUND.

CASH ACCOUNT.

Horace B. Spear, Treasurer, in account with the Woodward Fund.

Dr.

To cash on hand Feb. 1, 1872,	\$1,249 67
“ received for sale of land,	500 67
“ “ “ interest,	3,522 57
“ “ “ rent,	1,600 00
“ “ “ notes secured by mortgage,	1,277 50
“ “ “ “ town of Quincy,	19,725 37
	<hr/> \$27,875 78

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By loan to town of Quincy,	\$26,774 49
“ repairs on buildings, and other expenses,	403 63
“ balance on hand,	697 66
	<hr/> \$27,875 78

STATEMENT OF THE FUND, FEB. 1, 1873.

Personal property received from estate of	
Dr. Woodward, per appraisement,	\$30,089 83
Sale of land,	18,743 02
“ “ pews,	120 00
Income account,	8,989 30
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$57,942 15

Amount brought forward,

\$57,942 15

Invested as Follows.

6 Bonds U. S. sixes, \$1,000 each, at appraise- ment,	\$7,020 00
8 Bonds city of Portland, " " "	8,000 00
5 " Vt. Cen. R. R., " " "	4,000 00
3 " Vt. & Can., " " " "	3,030 00
6 " H. & Erie, " " " "	2,520 00
Notes secured by mortgage,	11,900 00
Loan to town of Quincy,	20,774 49
Balance (Dep. in Natl. Mt. Wollaston Bank),	697 66
	<hr/> \$57,942 15

The Greenleaf Farm, and one pew in the Universalist Church.

HORACE B. SPEAR, *Treasurer.*

PUBLIC LIBRARY OF QUINCY.

THE Trustees of the Public Library ask leave to offer their Second Annual Report relative to the progress and the present condition of that institution.

Its financial position is fully set forth by the detailed statement of the Treasurer, annexed to this Report. Including the balance brought forward from the last year, the total receipts have been \$7,768.45. Of this sum, there has been expended, including \$411.73 of accounts at present due, \$6,011.44; leaving a balance on hand of \$1,757.01. This amount will be reduced by an appropriation of the Trustees for printing a new catalogue during the present year, at an estimated cost of \$750, of another appropriation of \$600 for the purchase of books needed to render more complete various departments of the library, and \$300 for obligations maturing during the present month. Making these deductions, it will be seen that the amount at the disposal of the Trustees at the opening of the new financial year will be \$107.01.

The number of days during which the library has been open to the public, for the year ending Feb. 1, 1873, has been three hundred and six. Until the month of January, the hours at which it was accessible in the evening were from six till nine o'clock; but owing to the small attendance after eight, P.M., a change was made in the hours during this month, and the library was closed for the four first days of the week at eight, P.M., and on Friday and Saturday at nine, P.M. It is believed that this alteration in time has not proved inconvenient to the readers or visitors.

The novelty of the library has now passed by; and it may be said to have entered into its regular work as part and parcel of the every-day life of the town. Its circulation during the year has been 44,755 volumes; making an average per day of 146 issues. Of this distribution, 48 per cent was of fiction, 31 per cent of instructive and other tales written for young people, and 21 per cent of history, science, theology, biography, travels, and other works of the solid class. Attention has been given by the Trustees, in the purchase of new books, to obtain the fewest possible of that negative class of which it is said, that, if they do no special good, they do no moral harm; and, so far as practicable, to purchase those having some positive merit. In adapting the library, however, to the wants of its

patrons, it has been found that many books asked for were below the level which the Trustees had ventured to adopt; and of these, sparing selections were made.

The largest number of volumes issued on any one day during the year was on Saturday, Feb. 10, 1872, amounting to 410; the smallest on the 22d of August, counting 46 only.

During the year the reading-room has been used by 9,995 visitors, of whom 47 per cent were adults, and 38 per cent females.

The number of new applicants to borrow books from the library has been 882. These, added to the 1,320 previously registered, give a total of 2,202 residents of the town who have manifested a desire to avail themselves of its privileges by signing the regulations for its use. Of these regulations it may be briefly said, that a year's further experience in their working has developed no reason for any change, except in the particular before mentioned, — of hours open in the evening.

The library now comprises 7,312 volumes, of which 2,705 have been added during the past year. Of this latter number, 417 were given by various public-spirited inhabitants of the town. The library also possesses 203 pamphlets, which, when increased to a sufficient extent to allow of classification, will from time to time be gathered in volumes.

From 51,805 books, the whole number circulated since the library was first opened, but two are at present known to be missing. Their loss was due to accidental circumstances, and was not in any degree attributable to dishonest intention on the part of the borrowers. In this connection, it is also most gratifying to state that the Librarian reports no books to have been wilfully or wantonly injured.

The list of books printed at the time of the opening of the library, in consequence of the large additions since, is now entirely inadequate to its purpose. The present pressing need is of a good catalogue. The Trustees propose during the present year to issue such a work, and by means of its classifications to render the books more accessible. It will be vastly more convenient to the reader to find the desired book under its subject, if the author and title are unknown to him. The catalogue, properly constructed, is the library key.

Of the collection of books forming the Public Library of the town, and with the further additions now to be made, it may justly be said that it will compare favorably with other similar collections in the vicinity and State, which do not largely exceed it in numbers. It has been formed upon the principle mentioned in the last Report, — that of obtaining the classes of

books useful to the largest number of people. These will naturally consist of the past standard works of the language, of the most desirable of the books published during the past twenty-five years, and of the important issues of to-day. For the future, to supply the wants of all classes, provision should not only be made to add moderately to the older books, but also to keep fully up to the demands of modern knowledge and civilization.

The Trustees take much pleasure in publicly commending the Librarian, Miss Hails, and her Assistant, Miss Bumpas, for their patient and assiduous attention to the duties of their positions.

In conclusion, for the expense of care and maintenance of the library, and for the purchase of books during the coming year, the Trustees would recommend an appropriation by the town of two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM W. GREENOUGH,

For the Trustees.

PUBLIC LIBRARY, Feb. 5, 1873.

Account of the Treasurer of the Public Library.

RECEIPTS.

To cash in treasury, Feb. 6, 1872,	\$3,809 81
“ balance of town appropriation of 1871,	627 73
“ town appropriation,	2,500 00
“ of the town, amount of dog licenses,	624 19
“ “ for lamp,	12 00
“ from fines,	194 72
	<hr/> \$7,768 45

DISBURSEMENTS.

For books,	\$2,990 50
“ stationery,	55 49
“ binding,	233 30
“ printing,	300 34
“ expressage,	23 35
“ fuel,	208 21
“ gas,	253 00
“ salaries,	1,180 03
“ furniture and fixtures,	241 78
“ postage,	12 39
“ sundries,	101 32
Balance in treasury,	2,168 74
	<hr/> \$7,768 45

HENRY BARKER, *Treasurer.*

QUINCY, Feb. 6, 1873.

REPORT OF THE MANAGERS OF THE ADAMS ACADEMY.

IN accordance with the provisions of the bequests of President John Adams, made at different times to the town of Quincy, and accepted by the inhabitants thereof, the Adams Academy has been opened, and placed under the charge of Mr. W. R. Dimmock, LL.D., and has completed the first half of its first academical year.

The purpose of the school is to furnish a strictly classical course of education for the fitting of young men for the pursuit of a higher education. It was from the testimony of President Eliot of Harvard College, Rev. Thomas Hill, and many others, together with the fact that it seemed to be the plan of the illustrious donor, that the managers of the academy were led to adopt the plan upon which the school has thus far been conducted. The academy was opened on the first Monday in September last, with an attendance of twenty-three (23) pupils, six (6) of whom were from Quincy. The number has since increased to twenty-eight (28), seven (7) being from Quincy.

The large number of scholars who began with us exceeded the most sanguine expectations of the managers, and in our opinion has at once put the school on a comparatively sound basis. The progress has been very satisfactory thus far. Prof. Dimmock, who, as before mentioned, was selected for the position of master, has been very successful. The managers feel that the success attained, the pleasant relations between teacher and pupil, are in a great measure due to his untiring efforts.

The building has proved to be in every particular admirably adapted to its uses. The large number of pupils thus far makes it apparent that the entire building will soon be wanted for the school. Every convenience that modern times deem necessary is to be found in the rooms. The ventilation is excellent. In the cellar is a well arranged gymnasium for the use of the scholars.

In presenting this the first Report, the managers congratulate the citizens of the town upon the success of the academy, and our good fortune in having it in our community, believing that the best of results will follow from its establishment.

C. F. ADAMS, *Chairman*.
L. W. ANDERSON,
HENRY BARKER,
J. P. QUINCY,
E. H. DEWSON,
CHAS. H. PORTER, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF QUINCY,
FOR THE
SCHOOL YEAR 1872-73.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR 1872-3.

JOHN Q. ADAMS, CHAIRMAN.

HENRY LUNT.

ASA WELLINGTON, SECRETARY.

CHARLES F. ADAMS, JR.

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CHARLES L. BADGER.

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REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

THE inhabitants of Quincy at their annual meeting in March, 1872, decided to build schoolhouses at Wollaston Heights and at North Quincy. This duty was imposed upon a committee composed of the School Committee, the Selectmen, and Messrs. Pinkham and Perkins. It was found, however, to be very difficult to obtain suitable lots of land for this purpose at any reasonable price. The sites at North Quincy which were especially desirable in respect to aspect and accessibility were held at prices which placed them beyond the reach of the Committee. After considerable delay arising from this cause, it was found to be possible to obtain an elevated and very ample tract of land for the purpose, situated upon Squantum Street, at some distance north of the existing schoolhouse. The position is not so near to the river as the present distribution of population would render advisable ; but at the same time it will be sufficiently near to the Atlantic settlement as soon as Pitt Street is finished across to Squantum Street. This improvement, which has been in contemplation for some time, should now be immediately completed in order to afford a short and direct access to the new schoolhouse from the north. If it is further considered that the Old Colony Railroad is about to establish a station at its intersection with Squantum Street, and that the plain to the east and south of that street is likely to be occupied, in part, by dwellings in no very distant future, it may turn out, perhaps, that a sufficiently convenient position for the common benefit has been chosen. A fine lot of more than an acre was secured at a fair price ; and immediate steps were then taken to obtain the most approved plans for a building. Again, some delay was caused by unforeseen contingencies ; the fire in Boston having consumed the office of the architect whose plans had been accepted. It was also found to be no easy task to satisfy the requirements of the Committee for the sum which the town had voted for the building. But at last a contract was entered

into with Mr. William Parker of this town to erect a sufficient house for the sum of fifteen thousand dollars stipulated by the town. But it is proper to add, that it was found to be impossible, without too great a curtailment in accommodation, to purchase the school-furniture also with that appropriation. This will require a further outlay, which, with the compensation to be paid to the architect for his plans and supervision, and the cost of a fence around the land, will probably involve an expenditure of five thousand dollars, for which a further appropriation is asked. Ground has been broken already under the contract, and the building will be prosecuted to completion with all possible diligence.

The schoolhouse to be built at Wollaston Heights was not of such immediate and pressing necessity as that at North Quincy ; for the temporary accommodation provided in this place is by no means so inadequate and unfit as that extemporized for the infant school in the Quincy Schoolhouse. Indeed, the children at Wollaston Heights have at present more commodious appliances, in many respects, than the average pupils of the town. But the steady increase of the number of dwelling-houses in this part of the town seems to require preparation for a much larger number of school children. The Committee therefore proceeded to secure a suitable and convenient parcel of land ; and, in the execution of this duty, they were very greatly aided by the courtesy and liberality of Mr. N. F. Safford of Milton. This gentleman being the owner of a tract of land lying at the point selected by the Committee as best fitted for their purpose, he very generously conveyed the portion selected to the inhabitants of Quincy, in trust, for educational purposes ; and the people of Quincy are indebted to his munificence for an excellent and valuable school-location. It will require some very considerable grading, however, to fit it for its new use. A plan for a schoolhouse for this situation has also been determined on ; and proposals for building it have been received and considered ; and it is probable that its erection will take place during the coming summer.

The fast and thrifty growth of the westerly village of Quincy has also engaged the anxious attention of the Committee ; and the needs of that population have been attentively considered. Early in the year, they accordingly directed Mr. Badger to prepare plans of an addition to the Willard Schoolhouse sufficient to meet the immediate as well as prospective wants of that part of the town. His plan having been subsequently approved by the Committee, four spacious and airy rooms have been annexed to the schoolhouse in that district, which will doubtless render it ample for all requirements for many years. This expense was approved and provided for

by a vote of the town at a special town meeting held during the past summer ; and the amount then appropriated is believed to be sufficient to complete and equip the supplementary building.

When further school facilities are next required in this part of the town, it will probably be deemed judicious to establish a new centre of education sufficient to justify a full gradation in all the common school classes, rather than to scatter mixed schools here and there without system, except mere local convenience. The point at which such a new schoolhouse should be fixed may not be far from the junction of Willard and Robinson Streets ; but, when it is decided to build here, the house should be of a size and arrangement for a grammar school, with at least three preparatory schools ; and until the population at or about the point indicated is nearly sufficient to fill, in good part at least, these schools, it is better to remain as at present, rather than to waste money in inadequate buildings.

And in this connection the Committee recommend the adoption now of some consistent policy which shall govern all future cases of increased school room as they arise. Some action looking to an ampler accommodation both in the centre and in the south parts of the town cannot be long delayed. The Adams and the Coddington Schoolhouses must each be enlarged much in the same way as the Willard has been, or a large and complete new house, fitted for a full complement of graded schools, must be built upon or near Edwards's Hill. Either of these plans the town may pursue : but there is one plan which it ought never again to pursue ; and that is, to fix small mixed schools in isolated positions, merely for the sake of some local convenience. Such schools are never satisfactory ; and it is far better to allow the Committee to transport a few of the most remote and youngest pupils in bad weather to a really efficient school than to let them dawdle near home in the sluggish atmosphere of a school in the woods. Experience fastens no conviction upon members of this Committee so forcibly as the abiding faith, that, to have first-rate common schools, you must collect your pupils in a few centres, and then classify them as thoroughly as possible. Speaking generally, we find that success follows in a direct ratio any improvement in grading. It will, then, be advisable to increase the size of our present houses up to a capacity of at least five hundred pupils each, as the occasion may require, adopting at the same time such improvements as may from time to time approve themselves by experience. By this course, our old buildings, with a comparatively moderate outlay, may serve all our reasonable demands for many years. Our schools will become the more serviceable as they grow larger,

and the best results will be obtained at the least expense ; for, in such a system, one competent man has the whole general direction and supervision of the entire school of five hundred pupils, and with him are employed such a number of efficient female assistants as the work may require. These teachers will receive salaries proportioned to the responsibility, requirements, and toil of their several posts. We find that females are not only adapted, but carefully trained, to fill such positions, as well, or better, than men, excepting in the master's place, which sometimes requires a man's force ; and the competition is so great, that their services command less than one-half of the wages of male teachers. We can, therefore, with the employment of the same number of head masters at high salaries that we now have, with an efficient corps of female assistants at moderate wages, accomplish a better work than by the more costly process of new grammar schools. This is the method adopted in the cities ; and its efficiency and economy point it out as the best way whenever the density of population is sufficient to permit it. And, in accordance with these views, we recommend that the lot of land in front of the Coddington School, belonging to the estate of our late esteemed townsman William S. Morton, Esq., be purchased by the town for the use of that school.

GENERAL SURVEY.

It is not easy, in a survey so diversified and extensive, to be quite sure of the accuracy of a sweeping judgment upon the general condition of the public schools of this town. But with some allowance for the generality of the decision, and after averaging the results of many and various observations, it is not thought that any marked or considerable alteration has taken place in the average condition of our schools during the past year. Indeed, the quality which has impressed itself especially upon the Committee has rather been the stability and permanence of their tone and attainments from year to year. They vary slightly from time to time, and greatly under exceptional circumstances ; but the standard of education has not been notably advanced during some years, so far as the Committee can judge.

But, while this is substantially true, it is also true, that the standard has neither been lowered nor drawn back ; and it is possible that an eagerness for exceptional excellence may have blinded us to a steady and substantial, though slow advance. To those who can recall the situation twenty years since, this may appear to be considerable ; but a retrospect

of ten years will discover no very remarkable net results. Ten years ago, so far as we remember, the children read and wrote and spelled about as well as they do to-day ; and the fundamental rules of arithmetic were as thoroughly taught then as now. And at present, as in the past, most of the pupils who have finished the grammar course neither speak nor spell their own language very perfectly, nor read and write it with that ease and elegance which is desirable.

This immobility seems to show that a point has been reached which is near the natural term of such force as our present system of schooling is calculated to exert. The Committee has not thought it worth while to waste energy upon fresh fields of exertion : they have been contented with using every effort to perfect and assure thoroughness and clear comprehension in that which has been heretofore attempted. The annual examination-papers at the high school, and careful observation, satisfied the Committee that a vast deal of patient effort is yet needed to insure greater proficiency in writing, spelling, and the elementary principles of arithmetic. Until these foundations are more securely laid, it is not worth while to attempt higher flights. An attempt has, therefore, been made, during the past year, to attain clearer and more accurate ideas of the real efficiency of our common schools in the first principles of an education, by subjecting each branch of ordinary study to a minute and special inspection. For this purpose, a single department, such as arithmetic or writing, has been assigned to each member of the Committee ; and upon him has been enjoined the strictest scrutiny into its condition in each one of the schools throughout the town. The result has been to furnish the Committee with a somewhat more specific and reliable detail of the standing of our pupils in the essential rudiments of learning than has been hitherto attainable ; and the conclusion which has been reached is a determination to insist, with a renewed and increased pertinacity, upon an unwearied attention to elementary principles.

Greater interest and a sharper criticism must be engaged to improve our handwriting ; incessant practice and a keener emulation must give greater accuracy to our spelling ; and patient and intelligent labor must gradually instil a clear and accurate perception of the reason and method of numerical computation. Until these things are more perfectly understood and performed, it is better to hasten very slowly.

It has been said that a point has been reached in our schools which seems to be near the goal at which common schools aim ; and this is substantially true, taking into consideration the average age and average

attendance of the pupils. It must be remembered, that, in many of our schools, the attendance is irregular, and often intermittent, and ceases before a fair result can be expected. Oftentimes poverty compels, or greed seduces parents to withdraw their children for months at a time, or for good, from their hardly commenced studies. The result is disastrous to the child ; but it is also disastrous to the school. Every irregular or intermittent or abortive career in a school reduces the average product of that school and of all the schools. Now, it is of average results that we are speaking. The common-school system, therefore, can hardly be expected, under such circumstances, to do more than establish scholars solidly in the fundamental parts of knowledge. But it is not intended to say that greater results in this their proper field of effort may not be attained by a further modification of our machinery. There are at least two alterations which would probably increase considerably the net results of each year's endeavor. The first of these is the employment of a thoroughly competent and energetic superintendent of schools, at a salary which will permit us to insist that his whole time and thought shall be devoted to no other end than their improvement ; the second is the establishment of a truant school.

In regard to the former topic : it is not intended by this recommendation to urge immediate action, still less to impugn in the least the value of the exertions of a school committee. These committees are very useful in giving an education in many things to the members of the committee, as well as in securing a faithful general supervision for the children in the schools. It is, upon the whole, a truly admirable and democratic method of adjusting the action and re-action of the public and the private interest in education ; but at the same time, the intermittent and relaxed attention of gentlemen engaged in other engrossing pursuits, who can give but occasional careful scrutiny to any considerable portion of their charge, can never secure the exact and smooth perfection in every quarter which a really able man who is singly devoted to that duty can insure.

A small town can hardly afford such an expense ; but, as Quincy becomes yearly a larger and larger town, it cannot be very long before the expediency, and even the economy, of an efficient superintendent, will be manifest. The vast interests involved, and the large sums of money to be expended in the discipline of two or three thousand children, will soon demonstrate the wisdom of expressly devolving this duty upon a separate bureau.

The other suggestion, as to truant schools, is now receiving the attention

of the legislature. The evils of truancy are well known and obvious: its cure has long been sought. The presence in a school district of two or three idle and vicious children is not infrequently the cause of the utmost annoyance and anxiety to both teachers and parents. Necessarily brought into immediate contact with all other children at the most impressionable period of their lives, their example and influence is most demoralizing. To punish and reform them is to deal with the criminal class in its infancy. The truant school is, therefore, an essential part of any good common-school system. Without such schools, teachers and committees are practically powerless: the mere knowledge of their existence, however, renders it almost unnecessary to use them. Excellent truant schools now exist in most of the counties of the State, which, though established in particular towns, can be made use of by all other towns in the county. In these the candidates for a future admission to our jails are taken away from evil influences, and, while they are unable to injure others, are themselves reformed. No such school, however, exists in Norfolk County. It is confidently believed that this want will be remedied in the course of the present year. Should this be the case, it is very desirable that the school committee should be clothed with adequate power to act, which can be conferred on it only through a by-law of the town, which is subject to the approval of at least two justices of the Supreme Judicial Court. The first of the two following articles is the form of by-law which has been adopted in Woburn, and in several other towns, to meet the need, and has been found to work well. The committee would recommend the adoption of both of these articles into the by-laws of this town.

BY-LAWS IN RELATION TO HABITUAL TRUANTS AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN.

ARTICLE I.

Any child between the ages of seven and fifteen years, who may be found in any street or public place in the town of Quincy during school-hours, and not giving a satisfactory reason for his or her absence from school, shall be arrested by any truant-officer of the town, and taken to the school to which he or she belongs, and delivered to the teacher thereof. And any child who may be found absent as aforesaid a second time shall be deemed an habitual truant, and may be punished accordingly.

ARTICLE II.

The Board of School Committee shall assign some public institution of

instruction, or such other place as may be provided by law, for the reception of children who are habitual truants, or who, by reason of the neglect, crime, drunkenness, or other vices of parents, or from orphanage, are growing up without salutary parental control and education, or in circumstances exposing them to lead idle and dissolute lives. And any expenses incurred on account of such children shall be chargeable to the appropriation for the maintenance of schools.

HIGH SCHOOL.

It is evident that the general considerations offered in respect to the preparatory schools more particularly have a direct and immediate bearing upon the high school. Of course, but a very insignificant proportion of our pupils ever apply there for admission. Nine in ten of even the grammar-school graduates can not or will not stay longer at school. And this haste to be gone, and impatience of thorough preparation, affect injuriously those even who determine to partake the great advantages of two or three years more of study at that time of life when each year is of more value to the student than any two at another period. The consequence is, that they come imperfectly prepared to begin. Something of uncertainty and insecurity pervades their past. They feel a doubt themselves as to the stability of their foundation. It is necessary to go over it, and test it, strengthening and renewing it, before we feel safe to build on it.

Some have forgotten the methods, because they had never firmly grasped the principles, of their arithmetic; others, in losing the text of their books, have lost all they ever gathered from history; but few have a formed and settled penmanship; hardly one can spell correctly.

In order to keep our high school full, therefore, the standard of admission has been gradually reduced; and some pupils are suffered there who might better be perfecting their arithmetic, and patiently amending their writing and spelling, than puzzling themselves with geometry and algebra, or playing with "natural philosophy, chemistry, botany, the civil polity of the Commonwealth and of the United States, and the Latin language."

In fact, the legal requirements as to high schools are altogether too multifarious and sweeping, at least for our situation in this town. The only result of the queer jumble of study prescribed by law for these schools is to render them superficial, and impress upon our system of education a stamp of pretension and veneering. An education based on a smattering of a dozen sciences tends to create a dishonest habit of mind and a dissipation of ca-

capacity for real study ; while it gives a false and deceptive appearance of acquirement.

But if it is desired merely to afford pupils a glance at topics which may hereafter interest them, and to point out future fields of study, it is perhaps skilfully devised. Not that the course in itself is not judicious, but that there is prescribed for three or four years what it should require six or eight to master thoroughly ; not that the path indicated is wrong, but that it is too far for our time. From long habit, or some other cause, it has not been usual to keep either boys or girls at school here after about sixteen years of age ; and the only result of insisting upon a higher standard of attainments as a prerequisite to admission has always been a steady falling-off in the numbers of the school. Now it has been considered, that, in our system of education, the predominant interest, after all, should be the greatest diffusion of benefits consistent with justice to the general design, and that it is better to teach a good many a good deal than to teach a very few a great deal. The high school, therefore, has been kept full at some sacrifice to its more peculiar function, yet, at the same time, without such a degradation of the standard as to impair its general usefulness.

This compromise has been partly effected by selecting from the prescribed course of study some branches for careful and constant labor ; while others are treated more superficially and generally, or, in some instances, incidentally only, and in connection with other pursuits. By means like these, it has been possible to combine a thorough review and refreshment of the fundamentals of an English course with the more advanced mathematics, the elementary physics, and ancient and modern languages, which are more particularly appropriate to this school.

It is not thought necessary to amplify this Report by a particular reference to each school by name, as has been usual heretofore. There have been few and unimportant changes in the teachers, and no such very striking alteration in the character and conduct of any school as to call for special praise or blame. The relative merits and defects of the several schools do not seem to require an especial discussion at this time. But it is proposed to follow out more fully the scheme of inspection, which has been partially executed in the recent examinations, by asking the attention of the town to a brief review of the actual present condition of the study of the main elementary branches of a common-school education as it is pursued in the schools of the town. We venture also to suggest in some instances what we deem to be the full scope and intent which may well guide our efforts for improvement in future.

HISTORY.

The requirements of a good common-school education demand from the scholars graduating in our grammar schools a knowledge of the leading outline facts of the history of the United States. In times past, there has been apparent a disposition to overlook the importance of this branch of study ; and a tendency in this direction is yet noticeable in some of our schools. But it is no easy task to determine the kind and quantity of attainment which we ought to attempt ; and it is still more difficult to indicate the best method of teaching it. There is no text-book as yet which seems to combine all, and no more than all, of what we wish to teach our grammar-school scholars. Even if there were, we should not care to rely upon it. We do not want a bare recital of time and places, nor a dead compendium of facts, still less a sentimental romance, or an abstract philosophical disquisition. Children learn that which appeals strongly to their senses and imaginations, and they really retain little else. Now, between such an historian as Homer, and such an annalist as Rollin, there must be a middle way, which earnest and sympathetic meditation may discover. But even if it be impracticable to show "the very age and body of the time, his form and pressure," in a brief school-book ; even if it be hopeless to expect that our children can see in such a mirror some vivid picture of the living men who have gone before them : still it is nevertheless the fact, that it is in some such a way that they must be taught to know them, or they never will know them at all. Though they tell you glibly enough the day Columbus first saw the new world, or the date of the Declaration of Independence, what does it profit them, if no idea, nor interest, beyond the number of the year, is bound up in their minds with these incidents ? We do not undervalue the accuracy which insists upon dates. Without such aids, the study becomes slovenly in the extreme ; but let us remember that dates are not history.

We would urge, then, that this study be approached in a somewhat more living spirit. Those men whose earthly work we wish to learn were once alive, influenced by much such hopes and fears as actuate our lives to-day. Try, then, to realize something of their real life and surroundings. Strive to impress upon their successors some actual, vital conception of the character and motives, the aims, trials, and triumphs, of the men who settled this Western world. If this task be difficult, what honest and conscientious teaching is easy ? If it makes the teacher his own text-book, what true and genuine teacher, in effect, ever has any other ? Indeed, we will

say, once for all, that if teachers would earnestly and thoroughly prepare themselves for each day's work, patiently studying to so assimilate and master each subject as to present it perfectly clear and defined to the student, and unweariedly testing and trying for the straight way to the pupil's intellect, much greater things might be done in many things besides history. Let them cast away the text-book in school as a hinderance there, if a help at home, and teach from their own brains and energy. If the teacher himself learns to see the essential meaning of the words he repeats, and forces himself to inform them with something of his own thought and vigor, the study of history will be a pleasure, not a task. Then the dismal heaps of dry bones which are tossed about dolefully enough by our boys and girls might once again be clothed upon with flesh, and take upon them a semblance of their old activity and life. Until then, we shall stumble along, as we do now, in a painful wilderness of barren fact and unsuggestive information.

GEOGRAPHY.

The Committee have not thought it expedient to make any change in the geographical text-books which have been in use in this town for many years, although they are marred by many and serious defects, for the simple reason that there seem to be no others which could be substituted, that are, on the whole, any better; and they have concluded that in this study, as, in fact, in all others, the particular text-book used is of comparatively much less importance than the method of imparting instruction adopted and carried out by the teacher. Many of the details with which school geographies are crowded are utterly valueless to the scholar for any purpose whatsoever; and, with a mistaken view of securing systematic and logical arrangement of the books, many lessons designed for young beginners are utterly and hopelessly beyond their comprehension. To counteract these defects, intelligent labor must be expended by the instructors in *teaching* geography, especially to young pupils, apart from the text-books, and by original explanations and suggestions calculated to awaken the interest of the scholars, and relieve the study from the monotonous dryness of which children so frequently complain. In many of our schools the good effects of such intelligent instruction are manifest; while in some of them there is evident a painful lack of it. On the whole, however, the Committee feel satisfied that the results attained in this department of study are as good as they ought reasonably to expect.

GRAMMAR.

Under the division of duties during the past year, the examination of all the schools in grammar was assigned to me. As a general conclusion from my observations during that time, I am compelled to say, that, although there is abundant evidence of much honest labor and drilling on the part both of instructors and scholars, yet, as now taught in our schools, English grammar is a singularly unprofitable branch of instruction. The children are indeed taught the names of the parts of speech, and are drilled to parse the words of an ordinary sentence, — in the better schools they may even attain to some slight knowledge of analysis. I am, however, wholly unable to see that this labor at present results in any thing more than a dry, useless, and unattractive mental discipline. This I do not understand to be the object of a common-school education, in which utility is the one end which should always be kept in view. The studies pursued in our common-school course should be so pursued that they may result in something of direct use in the ordinary lives of New-England men and women. The study of grammar ought to be as useful when tried by this test as that of arithmetic or reading, and more useful than geography or history. As now conducted, however, I greatly doubt whether one child in one hundred derives any practical benefit from it, or ever applies those rules and principles, an acquaintance with which has been acquired with such infinite pains. In this respect an immediate reform is called for.

The object of studying English grammar is *to learn how to speak and write the English language correctly*. This certainly is as directly useful a thing as any man or woman can possess; for the power of writing a simple letter or statement of facts in tolerably correct language, and in a legible hand, cannot but always stand any one who possesses it in good stead. Judging by the examination papers of the candidates for admission into our high school, it is an accomplishment rarely, if ever, attained in the grammar-school course. I would by no means seem to imply that the schools of Quincy are in this respect below the average. I do not think that this is the case. The fact is, nevertheless, apparent, that the study of grammar, as now pursued, wholly fails to accomplish its object. It fails also, not because too little, but because too much, is attempted. The theory of a science is taught, and the practice of a thing is neglected.

I would respectfully urge that a new system ought to be adopted to secure a better instruction. More time — a great deal more time during,

at any rate, the last year of the grammar-school course — should be devoted to that practice which alone enables any one to put his thoughts on paper, either correctly or legibly. The copy-book should be abandoned ; and the scholars should be taught to apply the rules they have learned by putting their own ideas into language in legible characters. Nor, in doing this, is it necessary to ask of them dissertations on abstract subjects. Ambitious attempts of this character are the bane of the common-school education : the best instruction, on the contrary, is apt to be that which is least pretentious. Half of the labor now expended in mastering abstract rules would produce accomplished penmen ; and any child who can talk can, if the pen is familiar to his hand, with but little practice, learn to write what he thinks. As good an exercise both in writing and in grammar as can be devised, and the one in use, as I remember, in my own school-days, with boys of ten and twelve years old, is to cause the most advanced class to write each day a sort of record or diary of what each member did or saw during the previous day. In this way, a practice in writing and spelling is combined with the necessary and unconscious application of the principles of grammar. Such an exercise would, in my opinion, greatly tend to advance the standard of our common-school education as regards utility in subsequent life, and might lead children of even tender years to suspect that the study of English grammar is something besides a merely vexatious puzzle.

ARITHMETIC.

While we are pleased to say that the progress in this branch of study compares favorably with that of former years, we cannot refrain from expressing our opinion, that the results are far from satisfactory. We believe the general system of teaching this branch to be very *defective*, if not wholly wrong. We feel confident that much better results are attainable, and ought to be attained, than at present, and that, too, with great saving in the expenditure of educational power.

As the value of this study, whether for use or discipline, depends upon the *clearness*, *accuracy*, and *thoroughness* with which it is learned, every principle should be so perfectly understood as to be readily applied to examples selected or made up by the teacher, differing from those in the text-books. All the fundamental principles of arithmetic should be so thoroughly mastered, that the scholar can apply them, not only with unerring *certainty*, but with the *rapidity* of thought itself. Merchants and

bankers demand for accountants *ready reckoners*. Our schools ought to produce them, not as mere exceptionals, but in the main.

To remedy, in part at least, what we conceive to be defects in the present system of teaching this branch of study, we venture the following suggestions, not by any means as a perfect system, but as an aid to better results : —

(1.) Let the whole system be taught and learned from *principles*, and not from *rules* : the former teach *to think*, the latter only *to repeat*. If the scholar understands the *principle*, he needs no rule. If he does not understand the principle, the rule is nearly worthless to him. Scholars should not be required to explain their processes by the formulæ as laid down in the text-books, but should be allowed to explain them in their own language, especially after those processes are well understood, and made familiar by practice.

(2.) No time should be spent — *wasted* — in preparation for what is termed brilliant or showy recitations. Too much time is often wasted, not only in learning to repeat rules, but also in performing examples contained in the *books*. As ciphering in itself is a mere mechanical process, imparting no real discipline, no time should be wasted in this after enough examples have been performed to illustrate and teach the given principle.

(3.) No one branch in the whole routine of common-school education should be taught more independently of text-books than arithmetic. We do not mean by this to discard the use of text-books altogether. They have their appropriate spheres of usefulness. The fault is, they are too much and too frequently relied upon by teachers as the *chief means*, instead of the mere *adjuncts*, of teaching. They are the mere artificial machinery, which, without the aid of the skilful operation, will invariably produce imperfect results, — the mere skeleton, which it is the province of the teacher to animate with life.

(4.) The teacher, in presenting his subject to his pupils, should not only be possessed of a perfect knowledge of the subject himself, but should be so thoroughly armed with illustrations and examples as to enable him to impart in the clearest manner that perfect knowledge to others. He should never pass from one subject to another until the former is well and thoroughly mastered. By pursuing the above methods, we confidently predict that far better results will be attained with great saving of time.

On behalf of the Committee,

JOHN QUINCY ADAMS,
Chairman.

TEACHERS.

The following is a list of teachers employed during the school year : —

HIGH SCHOOL.

Mr. H. A. Keith, Principal ; Miss Sarah L. Barnes, Assistant.

CODDINGTON SCHOOLS.

Grammar. — Mr. H. B. Brown, Principal ; Miss Carrie P. Barnes, Assistant.

Intermediate. — Miss Ida Edwards.

Primary No. 1. — Miss Lizzie E. Morse.

Primary No. 2. — Miss Julia E. Underwood.

Primary No. 3. — Miss Florence B. Howland.

ADAMS SCHOOLS.

Grammar. — Mr. Seth Dewing, jun., Principal ; Mr. A. H. K. Blood, succeeded by Miss Harriet M. Burroughs, Assistants.

Intermediate. — Miss Emily A. Dinegan.

Primary No. 1. — Miss Mary E. Dinegan.

Primary No. 2. — Miss Eliza C. Sheahan.

Primary No. 3. — Miss L. Annie Williams.

WILLARD SCHOOLS.

Grammar. — Mr. S. C. Higgins, Principal ; Miss Thomas, Assistant.

Intermediate. — Miss Martha A. Veazie.

Primary No. 1. — Miss Emeline A. Newcomb.

Primary No. 2. — Miss Ada E. Locke.

Primary No. 3. — Miss M. A. Spear.

Primary No. 4. — Miss E. F. Cole.

WASHINGTON SCHOOLS.

Grammar. — Mr. Isaac F. Hall, Principal ; Miss Amelia G. Mead, succeeded by Miss Bosworth, Assistants.

Intermediate. — Miss A. P. Robbins.

Primary No. 1. — Miss Elgina M. Plummer.

Primary No. 2. — Miss S. Addie Souther.

QUINCY SCHOOLS.

Grammar. — Mr. Lewis F. Hobbs.

Primary No. 1. — Miss Cora I. Young.

Primary No. 2. — Miss Lizzie A. Flint.

CRANE SCHOOL.

Mixed. — Miss Stella M. Stinchfield.

WOLLASTON SCHOOLS.

Intermediate. — Miss Harriet H. Morse.

Primary. — Mrs. Lydia L. Follett.

HIGH SCHOOL APPLICANTS.

The following is a statement of the number of applicants for admission to the high school, and of the number admitted. Minimum standard of attainments, sixty per cent. Whole number of applicants, July 15, 1872, was 35 ; admitted, 26, as follows : —

	Admitted.
Adams Grammar School,	4
Coddington, “ “	9
Willard “ “	1
Washington “ “	5
Quincy “ “	3
Wollaston “ “	3
Private “ “	1
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	26

In addition to the above 26 admitted, 5 were conditionally admitted.

Supplementary examination, held Aug. 31, 1872. Whole number of applicants, 8 ; admitted, 4, as follows : —

	Admitted.
Coddington Grammar School,	1
Willard " "	0
Washington " "	0
Quincy " "	3
Crane " "	0
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3 more were afterwards admitted, making the whole number admitted, 33.

FINANCIAL.

Appropriation by town (teaching and fuel),	\$21,000 00	
State Fund,	345 40	
Coddington Fund,	75 00	
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Amount appropriation (teaching and fuel),		\$21,420 40
Expenses of teaching,	\$17,726 72	
" " fuel,	1,060 00	
" " horse hire,	13 50	
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Amount expended,		\$18,800 22
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Less than appropriation,		\$2,620 18

INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

Amount appropriation,	\$4,500 00	
" expended,	4,583 73	
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Excess of appropriation,		\$83 73

ESTIMATED EXPENSES OF SCHOOLS FOR THE YEAR 1873.

For salaries of teachers,	\$22,400 00
" fuel,	1,600 00
" incidental expenses,	4,000 00

And your Committee herewith respectfully recommend the above-named appropriations.

NEW HOUSES.

Your Committee are of the opinion that the \$30,000.00 appropriated last year for building two new school-houses is insufficient to complete, furnish, and equip the same ; that at least \$10,000.00 additional will be required for the above purposes. They therefore recommend and respectfully ask this additional appropriation.

JOHN Q. ADAMS, *Chairman*,
 ASA WELLINGTON, *Secretary*,
 H. FARNAM SMITH,
 HENRY LUNT,
 C. FRANCIS ADAMS, JUN.,
 CHARLES L. BADGER,

} *School Committee
 of Quincy.*

SCHOOL STATISTICS FOR 1872-3.

Number of children in Quincy between the ages of five and fifteen years, May 1, 1871, as per Assessors' enumeration,	1,279
Number of children in Quincy between the ages of five and fifteen years, May 1, 1872, as per Assessors' enumeration,	1,587
Increase,	308
Number of schools,	27
Number of pupils in all the schools,	1,730
Increase from last year,	90
Average attendance in all the schools,	1,136
Percentage of attendance,	83
Number of teachers,	32

Classification of schools.		No. of teachers.
High School,	1	2
Grammar Schools,	5	9
Intermediate Schools,	5	5
Primary Schools,	15	15
Mixed,	1	1
	<hr/> 27	<hr/> 32

HIGH SCHOOL.

Number of teachers,	2
Number of pupils,	95
Increase from last year,	18
Average attendance,	57

GRAMMAR SCHOOLS.

Number of schools,	5
Number of teachers,	9
Number of pupils,	486
Increase from last year,	37
Average number of pupils in each school,	97
Total average attendance,	342
Average attendance in each school,	68+

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS.

Number of schools,	5
Number of teachers,	5
Number of pupils,	377
Increase from last year,	145
Average number of pupils in each school,	47+
Total average attendance,	176
Average attendance in each school,	36

PRIMARY SCHOOLS.

Number of schools,	15
Number of teachers,	15
Number of pupils,	998
Increase from last year,	141
Average number of pupils in each school,	66+
Total average attendance,	586
Average attendance in each school,	40

MIXED SCHOOL.

Number of schools,	1
Number of teachers,	1
Number of pupils,	17
Decrease from last year,	8
Average attendance,	12

GENERAL TABLE.

Names of schools.	Names of teachers.	Whole number 1st term.	Average attendance 1st term.	Whole number 2d term.	Average attendance 2d term.	Per cent 1st term.	Per cent 2d term.	Whole No. days school during year.
HIGH SCHOOL.	{ Mr. H. A. Keith, <i>Principal</i> } { Miss Sarah L. Barnes, <i>Assistant</i> }	62	55	63	59	95	95	204
		104	79	99	81	76	82	204
		53	39	52	44	74	85	209
		66	47	64	53	72	83	209
		53	39	55	44	73	80	209
ADAMS SCHOOLS.	{ Mr. Seth Dewing, jun., <i>Principal</i> , } { Mr. A. H. K. Blood, <i>Assistant</i> , succeeded by Miss Harriet M. Burroughs } Miss Emily A. Dinegan Miss Mary E. Dinegan Miss Eliza C. Sheahan Miss L. Annie Williams	89	51	56	39	58	70	207
		92	74	94	91	80+	97	209
		54	39	35	28	71	80	207
		35	25	46	40	72	87	208
		59	39	55	45	66+	70	209
CODDINGTON SCHOOLS.	{ Mr. H. B. Brown, <i>Principal</i> } { Miss Carrie P. Barnes, <i>Assistant</i> } Miss Ida Edwards Miss Lizzie E. Morse Miss Julia E. Underwood Miss Florence B. Howland	34	28	29	25	82	86	209
		48	40	73	56	83	77	200
		54	32	65	46	60	70	209
WILLARD SCHOOLS.	{ Mr. S. C. Higgins, <i>Principal</i> } { Miss — Thomas, <i>Assistant</i> }							

Primary No. 1	Miss E. A. Newcomb	51	39	55	47	76+	85+	209
Primary No. 2	Miss Ida E. Locke	60	43	59	44	72	75	209
Primary No. 3	Miss M. A. Spear	86	62	61	50	73	82	209
Primary No. 4	Miss E. F. Cole	38	25	37	30	66	81	205
WASHINGTON SCHOOLS.								
Grammar	<div> <div> Mr. I. F. Hall, <i>Principal</i></div> <div> Miss Amelia G. Mead, <i>Assistant</i>, suc- ceeded by Miss — Bosworth</div> </div>	89	75	80	68	84+	85	208
Intermediate	Miss A. P. Robbins	36	23	45	35	64	78+	209
Primary No. 1	Miss Elgina M. Plummer	41	23	47	32	56+	70	209
Primary No. 2	Miss S. Addie Souther	78	56	55	40	71	73	209
QUINCY SCHOOLS.								
Grammar	Mr. Lewis F. Hobbs	43	35	43	27	77	61	197
Primary No. 1	Miss Cora I. Young	36	25	36	25	70	70	197
Primary No. 2	Miss Lizzie A. Flint	45	25	43	25	55	58	197
WOLLASTON SCHOOLS.								
Grammar	Miss Harriet H. Morse	25	19	29	23	76	79	209
Primary	Mrs. Lydia L. Follett	35	22	37	25	63	68	209
CRANE SCHOOL.								
	Miss Stella M. Stinchfield	14	12	14	12	86	86	209

EXTRACTS FROM THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

CHAPTER VII.

GENERAL REGULATIONS OF THE SCHOOLS. — DUTIES OF TEACHERS.

SECTION 1. — All teachers in the public schools are required to make themselves familiar with these regulations ; and the least violation of any one of them shall be considered a fair ground of complaint against any teacher.

SECT. 2. — The morning exercises of all the schools shall commence with reading the Bible ; and it is recommended that the reading be followed by prayer.

SECT. 3. — The teachers shall devote themselves earnestly and exclusively to the duties of the schoolroom during the school-term and school-hours established by the Committee ; and no absence shall be allowable, except for sickness, without previous notice to the Sub-Committee, and permission obtained.

SECT. 4. — When a teacher is absent on account of sickness for more than a week, the bill shall not be allowed for the time of absence, except by a special vote of the Board ; and no substitute shall be employed for more than one day at a time without the approbation of the Sub-Committee.

SECT. 5. — Teachers shall have the privilege of taking one day in each term to visit any school or schools in this town, upon obtaining the consent of the district Sub-Committee therefor : they shall also have the privilege of taking one day in the year to visit the Quincy High School, upon the same condition.

SECT. 6. — It shall be the duty of the teachers to see that the fires are made in time to warm their respective schoolrooms before the hour appointed for opening their schools ; and also that the schoolrooms, entries, and outhouses are kept in a neat condition.

SECT. 7. — Teachers shall aim at such discipline in their schools as would be exercised by a kind and judicious parent in his family, and shall avoid corporal punishment in all cases where good order can be preserved by milder measures. And it shall be the duty of the several teachers to keep a record of all instances of inflicting corporal punishment, which they shall exhibit to their respective Sub-Committees at each monthly visitation ; when said record shall be erased.

SECT. 8. — It shall be the duty of all the teachers to give vigilant attention to the ventilation and temperature of their respective schoolrooms. A regular system of ventilation shall be practised, in winter as well as in summer ; and the temperature of the rooms shall be kept as nearly as possible at 66° Fahrenheit.

SECT. 9. — The teachers shall carefully observe and follow that requirement of the State laws which enjoins it upon “all instructors of youth to exert their best endeavors to impress on the minds of children and youth committed to their care and instruction the principles of piety and justice, and a sacred regard to truth, love of their country, humanity, and universal benevolence, sobriety, industry, and frugality, chastity, moderation, and temperance, and those other virtues which are the ornament of human society and the basis upon which a republican constitution is founded ; and it shall be the duty of such instructors to endeavor to lead their pupils, as their ages and capacities will admit, into a clear understanding of the tendency of the above-mentioned virtues to preserve and perfect a republican constitution, and secure the blessings of liberty, as well as to promote their future happiness ; and also to point out to them the evil tendency of the opposite vices.”

SECT. 10. — The principals of the several grammar schools shall, in addition to their present powers, have jurisdiction over, and shall supervise the discipline, order, and conduct of, all the scholars belonging in their respective buildings, both in and about the schools and schoolhouse premises ; shall indicate the hours fixed by the regulations for their assembly, their recess, and their dismissal ; and shall be held responsible for the exact observance on the part of such schools of all the Rules and Regulations of the School Committee ; and the several schools shall conform thereto. And it shall be the duty of the several teachers to exercise, as far as practicable, a general inspection over their pupils while going to school and returning home.

SECT. 11. — Any teacher may exclude from school, for the time being, any pupil who shall exhibit habitual disobedience to the rules of the school,

or who shall be known to be guilty of habitual immoralities, or habitual rudeness or impropriety of manners ; and the teacher shall immediately inform the parent or guardian of the child of such exclusion, and shall apply to the Sub-Committee for advice and direction. The Sub-Committee may prescribe any temporary exclusion which may be desirable ; and such scholar shall be admitted to no other school without the vote of the Board ; and the Sub-Committee shall report all such cases at the meeting of the Board next following the expulsion ; and no permanent expulsion shall be made, except by the Board.

SECT. 12. — The teachers of all the schools shall be required to fill up with accuracy the blanks prepared for school returns, and to hand the same to their respective Sub-Committees, duly signed, at the close of each term, and accompany them with such suggestions, in writing, as may seem to deserve the attention of the Committee, and to be for the welfare of their schools.

SECT. 13. — No principal shall on any account leave his school in charge of his assistant, without special permission of the Sub-Committee.

SECT. 14. — The doors of the several schoolhouses and schoolrooms shall be opened, and the teachers shall be present for the reception of the scholars, at least ten minutes before the time fixed for the schools to begin. The teachers shall require the scholars to be in their seats, and shall commence and close the exercises of the schools punctually at the prescribed hours.

SECT. 15. — No teacher shall make any purchase at the expense of the town, without first obtaining the consent of the Sub-Committee.

DUTIES OF PUPILS.

SECT. 16. — No pupil or other person shall cut, deface, defile, or otherwise injure the school-buildings, or furniture thereof, or the fences, trees, shrubbery, or any other property thereto belonging ; and any pupil or other person suspected of being guilty of such an offence shall be reported forthwith by the teacher to the Sub-Committee.

SECT. 17. — No child who comes to school without proper attention having been given to the cleanliness of his person and of his dress, or whose clothes have not been properly repaired, shall be permitted to remain in school, but shall be sent home to be prepared for school in a proper manner.

SECT. 18. — Tardiness shall be subject to such penalty as in each case the teacher may think proper. Pupils absent from school must, on returning, bring an excuse for such absence ; and any pupil absent for more than two half-days in any month, for other causes than sickness or family bereavement, shall be reported to the Sub-Committee at the next monthly visitation ; and no pupils so reported shall be allowed to remain in the school, unless by the consent of the Sub-Committee. Every pupil wishing on any day to be dismissed before the close of the session must assign satisfactory reasons therefor, and obtain the consent of the teacher. Teachers having charge of pupils who are habitually truant shall, with the approval of their respective Sub-Committees, report their names, residences, and the names of their parents or guardians, to the truant officers of the town.

SECT. 19. — Children not less than five years of age may be admitted into the primary department without an examination.

SECT. 20. — No pupil shall be admitted into any school without first exhibiting to the teacher satisfactory evidence of vaccination ; but such evidence shall not be required of pupils who go from one public school in the town to another.

SECT. 21. — Every scholar in the primary schools shall be provided with a slate, and shall employ the time not otherwise occupied, in drawing, printing, or writing.

SECT. 22. — The school year shall begin on the first Monday in February, and end on the day next preceding the first Monday in February following. It shall consist of two terms ; the first term to begin on the first Monday in February, and the second term to begin on the first Monday after the close of the summer vacation.

SECT. 23. — The several schools shall commence at 9 o'clock, A.M., and 2, P.M., from April to September, and at 9 o'clock, A.M., and 1½, P.M., from September to April ; provided, however, that other hours may be substituted by the respective Sub-Committees when the convenience of pupils and parents may render it expedient, subject to the approval of the Board. These hours shall not be altered without permission of the Sub-Committees.

SECT. 24. — There shall be a recess of fifteen minutes in length during each half-day ; and every pupil shall be allowed his full recess, although he may, for punishment, not be permitted to take it at the regular time with the school ; and, in addition to the usual recesses, there shall be, in the primary schools of the lowest grade, two intermissions of study of

five minutes each in each half-day, — the first intermission to take place midway between the opening of school and the recess ; and the second intermission midway between the recess and the close of the session.

VACATIONS AND HOLIDAYS.

SECT. 25. — There shall be the following holidays and vacations : —

Every Saturday, Washington's birthday, Fast Day, May Day, the week immediately preceding the first Monday in June, the Fourth of July, the seven weeks immediately preceding the first Monday in September, Thanksgiving week, Christmas Day and New-Year's Day ; and the Chairman of the Board is authorized to suspend the schools on *such public occasions* as he may think proper, not exceeding three days in the year. No other holidays shall be allowed, except by special vote of the Board ; and no school shall be suspended on any other occasion, except for special and important reasons relating to a particular school, and then only by express permission of the Sub-Committee.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SECT. 26. — No subscription or contribution, for any purpose whatever, shall be introduced into any public school. No person shall read to the pupils in any school, or post upon the walls of any school building, or fences of the same, any advertisement ; nor shall any agent or other person be permitted to enter any school for the purpose of exhibiting either to teacher or pupil any new book or article of apparatus.

SECT. 27. — The schoolhouses shall not be opened or used for any other purpose than the regular instruction of the public schools, except under the direction of the Sub-Committees respectively.

SECT. 28. — The text-books used, and the studies pursued, in all the public schools, shall be such, and such only, as may be authorized by the Board. The several teachers shall be at liberty to avail themselves of such books as they may deem useful for the purpose of illustration and example ; but the pupils shall not be required to furnish themselves with any but the prescribed text-books. It shall be the duty of the several teachers to keep a list of all the books supplied to the pupils by the town, and take charge of all such books when such pupils shall leave the school, and to furnish the books again, upon the order of the Committee, to any other pupils needing them.

SECT. 29. — Written compositions shall be required of all the pupils in the high and grammar schools.

SECT. 30. — Declamations shall be required of all the boys in the high and grammar schools.

SECT. 31. — Singing and gymnastics shall be taught and practised daily in all the schools.

CHAPTER VIII.

HIGH SCHOOL.

SECTION 1. — The examination of candidates for admission to the high school, to be conducted by the Board, shall take place in the first week of the summer vacation, and at such other time as the Board may order.

SECT. 2. — The principal of each grammar school or mixed school shall notify those members of his own first class to whom he can give a certificate of good moral character and presumed literary qualifications, to appear at the high-school room on the day appointed, when they shall present their certificates to the Chairman of the Board. No books, manuals, private explanations, or communication by one pupil to another, will be allowed.

SECT. 3. — Candidates shall be examined in all the studies pursued in the grammar schools of the town; and a thorough knowledge of such studies shall be indispensable to admission.

SECT. 4. — Special applicants may be admitted, if they are found qualified in the studies required for admission, and also in the studies of the classes they propose to join.

SECT. 5. — There shall be one daily session of this school, commencing at 9 o'clock, and ending at 2 o'clock, from September to April, and beginning at 8 o'clock, and ending at 1 o'clock, from April to September.

SECT. 6. — The time allowed each day for recess shall be thirty minutes; the recess to be given in such portions as in the judgment of the principal shall be best for the pupils.

SECT. 7. — Any pupils who, through neglect or idleness, shall render, in the course of three months, less than seventy-five per cent of perfect lessons upon the whole number of lessons required, shall be reported to the Sub-Committee.

SECT. 8. — Every pupil who shall have completed a three-years' course of study in this school shall receive a diploma.

SECT. 9. — All the regulations of Chapter VII., excepting Sections 19, 21, 23, 24, shall apply to the high school.

